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MARKS ON MRS. HOWARD'S THROAT!

NEW BEDFORD, Feb. 27.—A sensation was produced in the trial of William C. Howard, charged with the murder of his young wife, when Constable Charles H. Mead, one of the men who removed the body of the woman from the river, testified to-day that there were what appeared to be finger marks on the face and throat.

The same witness swore that Howard identified the body as that of his wife even before he had seen her face. The contention of the State in this connection is that he knew where the body would be found.

The allegation that there were marks on the woman's cheek and throat came as a surprise. Constable Mead said that there were more than three of the marks. He called the attention of Dr. Channing to them when they rowed together to the body in the river. The marks were still there when the body was being lifted upon the float.

Described Marks on Body.

The witness indicated upon the neck and cheek of District Attorney Swift with his finger where the marks were found on the dead woman. His reference to "finger marks" was stricken from the record. He then described them as about the size of a penny, and as being reddish blue in color.

Alton W. Chase, a New Bedford textile student, testified to-day that about 11 o'clock on the night Mrs. Howard met her death he was on a houseboat under the Pandanaram bridge, and heard the scream of a woman.

This followed the conclusion of the testimony of Gardner T. Hart, who positively identified Howard as having been at his pavilion, near the bridge, on the night of the tragedy, about the time the scream was heard.

"It was a muffled scream. It was made by a woman. It pierced the air and then stopped as though choked off. A short time after that I heard the noise of a boat being rowed away."

That was the way Young Chase told of the tragic incident. He is a textile student

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SUFFRAGETTE FLYING WEDGE FOR COMMONS

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The suffragettes are planning another gigantic demonstration on March 30, which will, they say, eclipse all previous efforts. They will storm the House of Commons and each one in the raiding party will carry chains with which to bind herself to any point of vantage attained. They have arranged to form in parade line, but at the psychological moment to band into a flying wedge and in this manner they hope to sweep away all human opposition.

They even hope to be able to batter down the doors if they are locked against entrance into the House of Commons.

A squad of the more militant of the suffragettes gathered to-day at Holloway Jail to welcome a half dozen women who completed their terms of imprisonment. Those released to-day took part in the suffragette rioting late in January, when a previous attack was made.

Miss Christobal Pankhurst spoke to-day in front of the Jail and a score of reserve policemen were necessary to handle the crowds. Many of the unemployed gathered out of curiosity and raised such a commotion that the speaker could not be heard.

The day was cold with a brisk wind carrying scurries of snow, but despite this the women paraded to Holborn, where they toasted the "Martyrs" at breakfast.

SNOW AND COLD FOR BOSTON

Boston will have a cold Sunday.

But there may be rain or snow to-night, preceding the drop in temperature.

The general weather conditions are rather unsettled, but the local forecast schedules a cold wave coming, due in Boston some time to-morrow.

To-day is comparatively balmy, considering the high wind and the cold which have been dealt out around Boston the past few days. There is little wind, and the temperature is mild.

DRAG POND FOR RICH MERCHANT

LOWELL, Feb. 27.—Joseph Latorneau, aged thirty-eight, a French-American furniture dealer, has been missing since last Tuesday. To-day a general alarm was sent out by the police.

The last seen of Latorneau was in Lawrence where he went last Tuesday to collect a furniture bill of $19 from Mrs. Wilbrod Legasse of Halley street, that city. It is understood that he made the collection and started for Lowell.

This afternoon the police of Lawrence are dragging the canal near Halley street on the theory that Latorneau was killed and robbed and his body thrown into the canal. He usually carried large sums of money.

IN COURT ACCUSED OF KILLING GIRL

Hiram Perry, who shot and killed his sweetheart, Catherine McDougal, was to-day taken from the City Hospital to the Municipal Court on the charge of murder and held for the Grand Jury without bail. Perry alleges he had a death pact with the woman. Perry, it is alleged, went to his sweetheart's home at No. 17 Cherry street on Wednesday morning, and there, following a quarrel, killed the woman by shooting her. He went to his room at No. 24 Compton street, where he took carbolic acid in an attempt to commit suicide.

FATHER JOHN'S MEDICINE
Cures colds, grip, bronchitis.—Advt.

LISBON FETE ENDS IN RIOT

LISBON, Feb. 27.—The carnival celebration of the week ended to-day in a blaze of rioting. Two hundred men and women are in jail. The merrymakers took the extreme liberty to mimic the assassination of the late King Carlos and in the midst of the shooting it was found that ordinary muskets were being used. The precaution to remove the bullets had not been taken a number were wounded. The soldierly was called into action and charged through the streets with fixed bayonets.

POLICE COUP TRAPS WOMAN

Extradited from Maryland through a clever trick worked by two Boston officers, Minnie Williams, with a record as a noted pickpocket, was brought to Boston to-day to answer to an indictment warrant charging her with stealing $2200 from Maxine J. Belleville, of No. 1818 Washington Street, on Dec. 12 last.

The arrest of the Williams woman by Inspector Burr and Special Officer Irwin of Station 5, was the culmination of several months' effort on the part of the police to bring her back to Boston for trial.

Arrested in Washington on another charge, the Williams woman fought extradition. The two Boston officers sent on to Washington to bring her back failed. Yesterday, however, the bondsmen surrendered her, and immediately the Boston officers arrested her. Bundling her into an auto, they drove forty-five miles over country roads to Baltimore. This brought their prisoner outside of the District of Columbia and into the State of Maryland, where no extradition papers were necessary.

THREE DORCHESTER SCHOOL BURGLARIES

Three Dorchester schoolhouses have been broken into during the past few days and the telephone boxes robbed. Last evening the Roger Wolcott School, Mattapan, was broken into and money stolen from the telephone box. Thursday evening the Oliver Wendell Holmes School on Harvard street was entered and money stolen, and three nights ago the Dorchester High School was broken into.

MRS. GIBBS CALLED AS WITNESS IN THE TRIAL OF HOWARD

LINCOLN PRIZE ESSAY WINNERS TO-MORROW

Two hundred boys and girls in the schools of Greater Boston will be made happy to-morrow when the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN announces the winners in the Lincoln Prize Essay Contest.

The committee has selected the 100 best essays of the thousands submitted in competition and the names of the successful ones will be published to-morrow, together with one of the ten best essays selected by the committee.

This committee consisted of:

WILLAM M. OLIN, Secretary of State.

REV. EDWARD E. HORTON, Chaplain of the Massachusetts State Senate.

JOHN F. CASEY, Headmaster, English High School.

Written by Boys and Girls.

The essays were written by boys and girls of the public, private, parochial and Sabbath schools of Greater Boston. They were based upon Frederick Trevor Hill's seven articles on "Lincoln," published in the BOSTON AMERICAN.

Here are the prizes, announcement of the winners of which will appeare in tomorrow's SUNDAY AMERICAN:

List of the Prizes.

ONE—Fifty prizes, Ida M. Tarbell's "Life of Lincoln," for the best compositions written by pupils more than sixteen years old.

TWO—Fifty prizes, Ida M. Tarbell's "Life of Lincoln," for the best compositions written by pupils fourteen and not more than sixteen years old.

THREE—Fifty prizes, Ida M. Tarbell's "Life of Lincoln," for the best compositions written by pupils twelve and not more than fourteen years old.

FOUR—Fifty prizes, Ida M. Tarbell's "Life of Lincoln," for the best compositions written by pupils ten and not more than twelve years old.

One hundred cash prizes of $2.50 gold pieces each will be awarded according to the classifications given above to the writers of the best twenty-five compositions in each division in addition to the books.

The committee considered the following points in their respective order:

1. Neatness.
2. Legibility.
3. Intelligence of summary of Mr. Hill's articles.
4. English.

DRIVER HURT IN ENGINE CRASH

While responding to a small grass fire on Dorchester avenue at noon to-day, engine 18 collided with a post at the corner of Washington street and Dorchester avenue, throwing James Donaghue, the driver, to the ground, and injuring one of the horses so badly that he will have to be shot. As the heavy engine crashed into the post Donaghue was thrown from his seat high into the air. He was badly bruised.

QUITS FENWAY OFFICE.

Superintendent Theodore W. Swift of the Fenway station of the postoffice tendered his resignation to-day to Postmaster Mansfield, to go into effect on March 1. He resigns to become postoffice inspector at Philadelphia.

Hard Day for Boston Trusts:

BAD BEEF ILLEGAL

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GAS TRUST CHEATS

This was a bad day for some of the big trusts around Boston.

A law was discovered to-day, which makes it a crime to sell diseased beef in Massachusetts. This hits the Meat Trust, which has been buying cows killed by the State because they were infected with tuberculosis and has been selling them to the public as good beef.

The Gas and Electric Light Commission to-day found that the Gas Trust had been selling gas below the legal standard. The Commission called upon the Attorney General to prosecute.

The Railroad Commission reported that the Northampton Street Railway Company had no right to increase its unit of fare to 6 cents. Several street railways in the Trust around Boston have recently increased their fare to 6 cents.

SELLING OF BAD BEEF IS A CRIME UNDER STATE LAW

A law was discovered to-day—Chapter 56, Section 73 of the Revised Laws of the State—which lawyers declare covers the sale of tainted meat in this State.

Under the provisions of the statute the sale of such meat may be stopped or the violaters of the law punished.

Liable Under the Law.

Lawyers who have examined the statute declare that beef offered for sale that was taken from a tainted animal, no matter whether the inspectors pass it or not, comes within the provisions of the act, and that persons keeping it and selling it for food are liable to punishment.

A copy of this law was to-day called to the attention of Governor Draper by Lawyer Clarence W. Rowley of this city and was shown to the State Board of Health by a representative of this newspaper.

The late Dr. Charles E. Harrington, as Secretary of the Massachusetts State Board of Health, used this law in his successful crusade against impure food in Massachusetts.

Violators of the law were convicted and fined, all under this law.

Dr. Mark Sullivan, the present secretary of the State Board, whose duty it is to enforce this law, said to-day:

"I could, of course, proceed against violators of the law under this statute. In

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REPORT SERVIA MASSING ARMY FOR CONFLICT

VIENNA, Feb. 27.—It is reported here that Servia has mobilized her army corps on the Drina and the Danube. She is credited with the intention of occupying the sanjak of Novibazar. Such action will lead to immediate retaliation on the part of Ausria-Hungary, as a thorough understanding exists on that point with Turkey.

Any such action on Servia's part would be the signal for the immediate advance into Servia of Austro-Hungarian troops, while the third army corps from Salonica would hasten to meet any such invasion by eSrvians, it is expected.

Servian students at thet polytechnic school at Coethen have received telegraphic orders to join the colors, and it is reported that many Austrian students in Germany are homeward bound in the expectation of war.

URGE WAGE-EARNERS' INSURANCE PLAN

A bureau of information for interesting business men and working men in wage-earners' insurance is to be established by the Merchants' Association. This announcement was made to-day, when the report of the Committee on Wage-earners' Insurance, submitted by the chairman, Elmer J. Bliss, was made public. A campaign of education will be begun to bring into wider use the admirable Massachusetts plan of savings bank insurance for wage-earners. The committee wants to help the wage-worker, and wants the employer and the savings banks to co-operate.

VERY LATEST NEWS

BALL TEAM DELAYED BY WESTERN STORMS

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 27.—The Red Sox reached here this afternoon somewhat fagged by the bad condition of the railroads due to recent storms.

All the players are well and enjoyed their trip.

JAY TO LEAVE BANK BOARD NEXT MONTH

Bank Commissioner Pierre Jay gave notice to-day to Gov. Draper of his intention to resign to take effect about the last of March, when he will go to New York to become vice-president of the Bank of the Manhattan Co., No. 40 Wall street.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY ESCAPES BIG TAX

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 27.—By a decision of Chancellor Miller, handed down here to-day, the Southern Pacific escapes payment of taxes amounting to over $3,000,000 a year.

Judge Miller holds that the road, which is [illegible] in Kentucky, can be taxed only on its franchise, which has been assessed at $2,300,000.

HOUSE PASSES BROWNSVILLE BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The Senate Brownsville bill was passed in the House this afternoon by a vote of 210 to 101. The bill provides for a commission of five army officers to take testimony of members of the Twenty-fifth colored infantry, and recommend for enlistment such as are innocent.

WORCESTER BOYS OUT TO WIN B. A. A. CUP

Mechanics' Building, Feb. 27.—Schoolboys from all over New England were on hand to compete in the annual indoor track championships, always a feature winter event for the youthful athletes in this section of the country.

Along with the clean limbed runners and jumpers came hordes of admirers flying the colors of the schools they represented, while all were well stocked with lusty lungs encouraging their favorites in the different events.

Worcester Academy came down confident of capturing the trophy without a great amount of trouble and the array of talent from the school certainly did look formidable till some of the chief rivals got into action and Worcester had to hustle.

Special interest centred in the competition between Worcester, Exeter, Andover and Volkmann, all contenders for the big cup offered by the B. A. A., under whose auspices the games are run every year, and had already some claims on the prize.

With eight events on the track and field, and fourteen team races between well matched schools, the sport was kept at a furious pitch without any letup from the time the first heat in the 40-yard dash got away. The relay races were sandwiched in between the regular events on the card.

Some schools only had a few entries, while others had whole teams of well-trained youngsters, but the former, while outnumbered by candidates, could not be outdone in the matter of making thundering noise when one wearing their colors came to the front.

RECOVER STOLEN LOOT FROM HOTEL

Patrolman Andrew Conlin of Station 2, Cambridge, and Patrolman Gifford of Station 5, Boston, to-day recovered a lot of property stolen from the Hotel Plaza some time ago in a house on State street, Cambridgeport. There were fourteen napkins, sixteen after dinner saucers, fifteen coffee cups, two Tom and Jerry mugs, eight dessert glasses, fifteen silver cream pitchers, four cocktail glasses, three mustard pots, twenty-nine silver spoons, a silver water pitcher, thirteen silver forks, one silver coffee pot and four silver salt cellars.

CAUGHT IN PAWNSHOP WITH CHURCH SILVER

Caught in a Green street pawnshop while attempting to dispose of a solid silver chalice valued at $75 for fifty cents, George Spozello, thirty-five years old, was arrested to-day by Police Inspectors Patterson and Norton and taken to headquarters. He was also trying to sell the broker a silver plate valued at $25, used in the Catholic church. It is charged by the police that Spozello stole the articles from St. Leonard's Church, Prince street, on last Wednesday.

UNNERVED BY INSOMNIA, RICH MAN ENDS LIFE

WORCESTER, Feb. 27.—Suffering from **insomnia**, Charles C. Woodside, a member **of one of** the most prominent and wealthy **families** of this city, committed **suicide** at **his home**, No. 11 Britton street, early to-**day by shooting** himself three times **with a Winchester** repeating rifle.

Woodside made two attempts to kill **himself.** Shortly before 6 o'clock this **morning**, he arose, put a Winchester rifle **to his mouth**, and fired one shot. Then **he tottered** downstairs, to where his father **and mother** were eating breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodside caught their **son as** he fell to the floor and tenderly **carried him** to his own bed chamber. Then while the father went to the nearest doctor and the mother hurried about the **house** securing lint and bandages, young Woodside got out of bed, and with the same rifle that he had used before shot himself twice in the mouth.

Mrs. Woodside, hearing the reports of **the last** two shots, rushed to her son's **room and found him lying across the bed, the rifle** clutched tightly in **his right hand.**

Woodside was 33 years of age. He **graduated** from Bishop College in 1898 **and from** Harvard College in 1903, with **the degree of** A. B.

After leaving college he taught in **Washington** Academy at Philadelphia, remaining there until late in 1904, when he resigned to take a similar position in the St. Louis University.

In 1905 he was employed as an expert **accountant** with the Skinner Organ Company of Boston.

WOMAN DARES FLAMES AND SAVES 2 BOYS

At the risk of her life, Mrs. Hanno **Poluski** plunged into the front third-story room at No. 127 Leverett street, West End, this afternoon, and, fighting her way through flame and smoke, carried Benjamin and Harry Sherman, three and five years of age, to the street.

Shrieking and hysterical, Mrs. Morris Sherman, the mother of the children, followed the brave woman down the smoke-**choked** stairs to the open air.

Little Benjamin and Harry Sherman **slipped** into a closet in the front room of their flat, on the third story of the frame tenement this afternoon and began to play with matches. Soon they set the closet on **fire**, and the flames shot out into the room.

Mrs. Sherman, at work in the kitchen in the rear, smelled the smoke, and when she saw that the room where the little boys were playing was filled with flame and smoke she began to scream and wring her **hands.** Mrs. Poloski ran upstairs, **found the** little ones and saved them. The damage is not over $100.

YANKEE GIRL'S GOWN DAZZLES BRITISH COURT

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The Countess of **Granard**, formerly Miss Beatrice Mills of New York, was the sensation at last night's court because of the vast quantity of diamonds she wore. They represented exclusively wedding presents from near relatives.

Among them was a wide tiara, the gift of **her parents, formed of huge diamonds.** On **her throat was a dazzling collar band of diamonds, given by her grandfather**, D. O. Mills. Below this a necklace, given by the **Whitelaw Reids, filled in the decolletage, with a band of splendid stones fringed with diamonds.** The whole ornament, five and **one-half inches** in depth, was worn across **the corsage and** gave the appearance of a **bodice formed** solely of flashing gems. This **last** was the gift of Mrs. Maturin Living**stone**, who also gave a beautiful Brussels **lace**, which, draped at the top, formed the **sleeves** of the dress.

It was the most magnificent robe ever **seen** at court.

The train, which was of the same velvet brocade as the dress, was lined with cloth of silver bordered with fine silver galloon. The sleeves were powdered with aigulettes of diamonds, mounted on platinum wire, giving the effect of pendants.

Her wrap was formed of dark Russian sables, 60 skins being used. This was the gift of the Phipps family.

Lady Granard was specially received by **their** majesties before the court and supped with them in their private supper room **at** the conclusion of the function. She carried an empire fan of painted vellum **mounted** on gold sticks. This fan was once the property of Empress Josephine and was a wedding gift from a member of the Phipps family.

In striking contrast to Lady Granard was Mrs. William G. Rockefeller, who wore no ornaments either on her dress or in her coiffure.

In the absence of Mrs. Reid, and Mrs. J. Ridgeley Carter, wife of the secretary of the American Embassy, being still in mourning, Senora de Villa Urrutia, wife of the Spanish ambassador, presented the Americans, who included, besides Lady Granard, Mrs. Arthur Orr, wife of the new third secretary of the embassy; Mrs. N. B. Knox of California, Miss Irene Catlin of St. Louis, Mrs. Chester Wells and Mrs. L. H. McCormack, the English wife of an American resident of London.

FIVE DOLLARS is what the stores charge for small copies of the magnificent battleship photograph given free with To-morrow's SUNDAY AMERICAN for coupon in Greater Boston.

URGE CONCERTS ON THE COMMON

That a covered auditorium, with seats **and** a bandstand, should be erected on **Boston** Common for municipal band concerts, the money to be taken from the Parkman fund, is the recommendation of the Music Commission, which has just filed its report with Mayor Hibbard. Answering the criticism of the Finance Commission with regard to extravagance for band concerts, the report says: "It may not be irrelevant to note that in many other cities, both American and foreign, greater sums are expended for this purpose than in Boston."

A SUGGESTION ON ECZEMA

It is suggested that eczema sufferers ask Riker-Jaynes Drug Stores of this city what reports they are getting from the patients who have used the oil of wintergreen liquid compound, D. D. D. Prescription.

DEMANDS INQUIRY BY SENATE OF SALE OF INFECTED BEEF

Testing the lungs of cattle for traces of tuberculosis.

THE LAW.

Whoever knowingly sells, offers or exposes for sale or has in his possession with intent to sell for food any **DISEASED** animal or any product thereof, or any tainted, **DISEASED**, corrupted, decayed or unwholesome carcass, meat, fish, vegetables, produce, fruit or provisions of any kind shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than sixty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment; and whoever knowingly sells any kind of **DISEASED**, corrupted or unwholesome provisions, whether for meat or drink, without making their condition fully known to the buyer, shall be punished by a fine of not more than two hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than six months.—*Section 73, Chapter 56, of the Revised Statutes of Massachusetts.*

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the case of the infected meat sold in Somerville, I feel that Dr. Peters and the Federal inspectors have done their duty. If they think the meat is fit for human food, then I am satisfied."

Bay State the Only One.

Massachusetts is the only State in New England that permits the sale of tuberculosis beef. Prominent doctors, including Dr. Francis P. Donoghue, Dr. E. O. Otis, Dr. J. J. Minott, Dr. E. B. Emerson and others, declare that the consumption of this meat is dangerous.

F. O. Beal, chairman of the Maine State Cattle Commission, says about the sale of tainted meat in that State:

"Under no condition is meat suspected of being diseased with tuberculosis allowed to be sold for food in the State of Maine."

Irvings A. Watson, cattle commissioner of New Hampshire says that it has never been authorized in that State. Commissioner H. S. Wilson says the same thing of Vermont. John J. Dunn declares that in Rhode Island it is not permitted. Commissioner H. O. Averill says that such cattle are condemned in Connecticut, and that the carcasses in such cases are unfit for food. The commissioners of other States in the country make the same statements.

This is the order that Senator Parker has introduced:

Ordered, That the Committee on Public Health shall investigate the inspection, condemnation, transportation and quarantining of cattle affected with tuberculosis or other disease, and the disposal of the carcasses of such cattle under State authority. For this purpose the committee is authorized to require the attendance of witnesses and the production of books and documents, and the committee is directed to report to the General Court at a date as early as possible.

Dr. Francis P. Donoghue of No. 504 Beacon street, a well known authority on tuberculosis, who attended the Tuberculosis Congress at Washington, says bacilli from cattle infected with tuberculosis can be transmitted to the human system.

"I have noticed," he said, "that one doctor has stated that if an apple is slightly infected with rot a person would cut that portion away and eat the rest of the fruit. That is silly, for there is no comparison. Tuberculosis germs are a dangerous thing to trifle with.

"If the government wants to have the beef sold, then it should let people know what they are buying. It is not fair that a person should pay the same price for infected beef as for beef that is entirely free from disease.

"I believe there is danger to the one who buys such meat, especially if he does not know what he is getting. The public has no way of knowing the condition of the beef. 'Slightly infected,' as stated by an inspector, is too broad a ruling. The rules should be more specific, and even then the meat shrould be labelled before it is sold.

"Beef that is used for sausages is not cooked to any extent, and the danger would be greater."

Not a Proper Food.

Dr. E. O. Otis, president of the Boston Association for the Relief and Control of Tuberculosis and an expert in the disease, said:

"I cannot recommend the use of slightly infected meat. It is by no means a proper food.

"Medical science has not yet determined whether bovine tuberculosis is communicable to human beings. Some say it is and some say not.

"So far as expert investigation has extended, I don't think there would be much harm in eating a slightly infected article once in a while, but serious results would in my mind occur if it was used for constant consumption.

"Infected beef could be made harmless by constant boiling at a temperature of 170 degrees, but still the taint of infection is upon it."

Dr. J. J. Minott, trustee in the Consumptives' Hospital at Mattapan, said:

"I would not under any circumstances recommend the eating of infected beef.

"You must remember that experts have not fully determined whether turerculous germs in beef are the same as those in persons.

Dangerous as Food.

"I should not want to eat infected beef if I knew it."

Dr. E. B. Emerson of the State Sanatorium of North Reading said:

"In my opinion infected beef is a dangerous food."

Dr. George Burgess Magrath, medical examiner of Suffolk county, was asked if he thought that tuberculosis bacilli could be transmitted from cattle to the human being through eating the meat of an infected animal.

He said that it was theoretically possible but that it was yet to be discovered whether the blood of a creature infected with tuberculosis was also infected. He said that if it was, then it was possible to transmit the bacilli to a person, providing the meat was not properly cooked.

ACCUSE TRUST OF MAKING POOR GAS

Gross violations of the law by a large number of the constituent companies of the Gas Trust were reported to Attorney General Malone to-day by the Gas Commission, and the attorney general was asked to take action against them with a view to punishment.

It is charged against the companies that they have been producing gas below the standard 16-candle power and that it contains too much sulphur.

The law-breakers include the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, the East Boston Gas Company, the Suburban Gas and Electric Company, and six others.

The offending gas companies, besides those operating in Boston, are the Framingham Gas, Fuel & Power Company, the Brockton Gas Light Company, the Springfield Gas Light Company, the Taunton Gas Light Company, the Lowell Gas Light Company and the Webster & Southbridge Gas & Electric Company. The various companies are liable to a fine of $100. Four companies violated the law last year and had to pay fines.

It is alleged eight companies violated the law by reason of their gas containing more than twenty grains of sulphur. The Webster & Southbridge company and the municipality of Middleboro violated the law by distributing gas containing sulphuretted hydrogen.

DECIDE AGAINST SIX CENT FARES

The Massachusetts Railroad Commission made an important decision today against six-cent trolley fares.

The decision was in the case of the Northampton Street Railway Company. The commission rules that this company's six-cent fare is "unreasonable and excessive."

This decision is of much interest to trolley patrons in many sections of the State where six-cent fares have been a source of constant protest. Among the "six-cent" territories are Lexington, Bedford, the territory north of Arlington, and the territory between Newton and Worcester on the Boston & Worcester.

The commission adds in its decision:

"The returns of the company for a period of years show a steady public demand for transportation, and the population of the territory has been well maintained. If the six-cent unit rate of fare had been in force for the financial year ending September 30, 1908, the same number of passengers would have increased the net divisible income of the company from about $18,000 to $50,000."

FAINTS AS HE SEES PRISONER IS SON

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 27.—When Fred Sutcliffe, Sr., appeared to-day before a magistrate as complainant against two young men accused of robbing his Summer home he did not know that one of the prisoners, who had not yet been brought from the city prison, was his own son. Sutcliffe fainted when he made the discovery.

WORLD CRUISE STRAIN KILLS COMMANDER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Any other world-girdling cruise for battleships that may be ordered for the American navy will be against the advice of the senior officers who commanded during the cruise that came to an end at Hampton Roads on Monday.

All the Admirals and Captains of the battleship fleet who have been seen by their friends, privately and not for publication, have allowed it to be inferred that they do not want to be subjected to another such strain.

During nearly fourteen months they have been under tension that has drawn them down to not much more than skin and bone. Each one of the 45,000 miles steamed by the ships has taken toll from the officers upon whose shoulders rested the responsibility for the men in their commands and the safe guarding of about $85,000,000 worth of property.

Hutchins Gave Out.

The weight became too great for Captain Hamilton Hutchins, the commander of the Kearsarge. At Gibraltar he had to give up his ship. He gave it up voluntarily.

Fearing that his mind would not act quickly enough to meet any emergency that might arise while the ships were crossing the Atlantic, he went to Rear-Admiral Sperry at 11 o'clock at night and told him of his fears.

That the Captain is a nervous wreck is admitted. Secretary Newberry has designated a number of naval surgeons to visit the Captain at his home in this city. Among them is Dr. Braisted, one of the assistants to Surgeon-General Rixey. It is not the regularly constituted naval medical board, such as would have authority to condemn him and order his retirement. Secretary Newberry does not desire to have anything of that kind done unless it is absolutely necessary.

All Lost Flesh.

Admiral Sperry, commander-in-chief of the fleet, called on the Secretary in an informal way yesterday and discussed the Hutchins case. He said the detachment of Captain Hutchins had not the least tinge of a disciplinary measure. It was made at the request of the Captain and simply because his looks corroborated the fear he expressed that he was not in condition to exercise the heavy responsibility of bringing his ship into home waters.

CONFERENCE ON KELLEHER CASE

A long conference, believed to be in connection with the Kelleher case, took place in the office of District Attorney John J. Higgins of Middlesex county to-day between District Attorney Higgins and officers who have been working on the case.

State Detectives Charles E. Byrnes and Arthur E. Keating were at the district attorney's office in East Cambridge courthouse at 8 a.m., waiting for Mr. Higgins. When the latter arrived the two state officers went into immediate conference with him. The three were joined a little later by Inspectors Eugene Carter and Thomas Damery of the Somerville police, who have been putting in practically all their time of late on the Kelleher investigation.

The Middlesex grand jury comes in Monday at Lowell. From the time of to-day's conference, just before the grand jury coming in, it is possible that sensational developments may attend the grand jury's report.

FIRE SWEEPS STOCK YARDS

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—A fire that promises to cause great damage and possible loss of life is raging in the centre of the Union Stock Yards. The building, which is Swift's butterine plant, is a giant frame structure. The fire was not discovered until it had made good headway and spread rapidly. On one side of the butterine plant is a great egg warehouse and on the other is a three-story curing house.

The firemen have giving up hope of saving the butterine plant and are now confining their attention to protecting the warehouses. The loss caused so far is estimated at $75,000.

2,000 JACKIES IN PARADE

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 27.—Two thousand jackies from the Atlantic fleet, accompanied by Norfolk's military companies, marched through the flag-decorated streets of the city to-day, this being the official "Welcome Home Day." Federal and Confederate veterans in blue and gray formed a court of honor, through which the parade passed.

After the parade the sailors and soldiers were served with refreshments at the new naval Y. M. C. A., built by John D. Rockefeller at a cost of $300,000.

RABBI SCHULMAN AT FORD HALL

Rabbi Samuel Schulman of New York is to be the speaker to-morrow evening at Ford Hall, where he has appeared before. His subject will be, "Things that Separate Men and Things that Unite Them." The meetings, which are free, are for the purpose of discussing any live question. They are under the auspices of the Boston Baptist Social Union.

ALLAN R. STURGIS, HOTEL MAN, DEAD

Allan R. Sturgis, a widely known hotel man, who had been connected with several Boston hotels as manager or proprietor, died to-day at his home, No. 228 Massachusetts avenue. He had been ill with pneumonia about a week.

BAD FLUE STARTS FIRE.

Fire to-day in the two and one-half-story wooden dwelling house occupied by the family of John Brophy, No. 1,033 Washington street, Dorchester, did damage estimated at $500 before it was extinguished. It is thought that it started in a defective flue. Mrs. Brophy was alone in the house at the time, and she gave the alarm. The building is owned by Henry L. Pierce.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

Queen Alexandra Wears Famed Cullinan Diamond.

LONDON—Many presentations of Americans were made at the court held last night by King Edward and Queen Alexandra at Buckingham Palace. It being the first of the season, the function was largely of a diplomatic and official nature. In the absence of Mrs. Reid, and as Mrs. J. Ridgeley Carter, wife of the Secretary of the American Embassy, still is in mourning, Senora de Villa Urrutia, wife of the Spanish Ambassador, presented the Americans—Mrs. Arthur Orr, wife of the new third secretary of the Embassy, in the diplomatic circle, and Mrs. N. B. Knox of California, Miss Irene Catlin of St. Louis; Mrs. Chester Wells, wife of Lieutenant-Commander Wells, and Mrs. L. H. McCormick, an English woman, the wife of an American resident of London. Queen Alexandra wore the famous Cullinan diamond as a pendant.

Opium Conference Ends at Shanghai.

SHANGHAI—The International Opium Conference, in session here since February 1, has adjourned. The conference, as a whole, takes for granted that the opium habit is an evil that must be suppressed. The three American delegates, the Rt. Rev. C. H. Brent, Protestant Episcopal Bishop of the Philippines; Dr. Hamilton Wright of Maine and Professor C. D. Launey, Chinese Secretary of the American Legation at Pekin, left to-day for Pekin.

Latest Skirt Like Trousers.

PARIS—During the Mardi Gras races at Auteuil a young Frenchwoman appeared in the paddock with the latest style of women's skirts, which are so near trousers that the men present were inclined to resent it. The lower garment is made of velvet. At first it appeared to be divided, but inspection revealed that a heavy seam ran down the centre, so the skirt was really a sort of Turkish trousers. The garment was so tight that walking was difficult.

Morgan Silent on Steel War.

CAIRO—J. P. Morgan, at his apartments at Shepherd's Hotel, was asked for his views concerning the Steel Trust crisis and the railway situation at home. He replied: "It is a subject I cannot discuss. I cannot give information at this distance."

Alfred G. Vanderbilt Homeward Bound

LONDON—Alfred G. Vanderbilt sailed for New York on the Lusitania to-day. He says that he was going over on private business and will return in a fortnight. He has been kept indoors for a week by a severe cold. He said he had found the ninety-eight horses which he intends to use on the Brighton road during the next coaching season in first rate condition when he inspected them in London the other day.

Paris Opera Near Bankruptcy.

PARIS—The stockholders of the Opera held a meeting at which the officials announced that they had received promises of $160,000 new capital, which would enable them to continue. The managers' position is not improved. They are left facing bankruptcy or resignation. One result of the Opera's difficulties is that the publishers of "Salome" wrote postponing negotiations for the production of that work until 1910.

Lady Strafford Hostess to King.

LONDON—Cora, Countess of Strafford, sometime Mrs. Colgate of Brooklyn, has "arrived." It is semi-officially announced that the Countess will give a royal ball at Chandos House in May and that it is expected both the King and Queen will attend, after His Majesty's return from Biarritz. It may be understood from this announcement that Lady Strafford will now surely take her place among the leading American hostesses in London.

Powers Agree to Warn Servia.

PARIS—The powers that signed the Berlin treaty have accepted the invitation of France to make representations to Servia not to insist upon territorial compensation from Austria-Hungary because of the annexation by that country of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Three Die in Collision.

PARIS—An express train on its way from Calais to Bale, Switzerland, collided with a freight train near Aulnay. Several carriages were derailed and three persons were killed and eighteen injured.

Admiral Fane Dead.

EDINBURGH, Admiral Sir Charles George Fane, K. C. B., formerly commander of the British North American squadron, is dead. He was born in 1837.

Fined for Tolstoi Article.

MOSCOW—The newspaper Zhizn was fined $1,500 for printing Count Tolstoi's latest article against the infliction of the death penalty.

Naval Agreement Signed.

LONDON—The delegates to the international naval conference have completed the formality of signing and sealing their findings. The code to regulate naval warfare will be published simultaneously in the capital of each country represented, on March 20.

VOTE COUPON VOTE

American Beauty Contest

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Details of Contest on Page 4.

RUSSIAN SPY CONFESSES TO BOMB PLOTS

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The Evening News to-day declares positively that one of its reporters found and interviewed Eugene Azef, the fugitive Russian secret police spy, in the St. Pancras lodging house.

After first denying his identity, Azef admitted that he was the man for whom all Russia is seeking.

In his interview Azef said: "I originally joined the terrorists for the sport of the thing. I finally fell into the hands of the police and found that I could escape by betraying the terrorists. I never betrayed the principles of the fighting revolutionists, because I was never in possession of them.

"I was responsible for nearly all of the Russian bomb throwing plots since 1897, including those that resulted in the deaths of Sypiaguin, Von Pleeve, Bobrikoff, Grand Duke Sergius, Ignatieff, Llaunitz, Father Gapon and many others.

"My accomplishments for the government were equally brilliant. It was necessary to bring about the deaths of several officials in furthering my work, but I saved the lives of hundreds of other officials, including that of the Czar.'"

The News declares that Azef is plentifully supplied with money, which, it is supposed, is being supplied by some of the reactionaries who were involved in some of his plots.

POPULATION OF CUBA 2,048,980

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—The census of Cuba, decreed by the provisional governor in 1907 and taken under the direction of Victor Olmstead of the Department of Agriculture, has now been completed and to-day a brief of it was given the public. Among the interesting statistics it shows the following: In 1907 Cuba had a population of 2,048,980, an increase from 1899 of 476,183. Of the wage-earners 374,938 were engaged in agriculture, fishing and mining; 136,419 in trade and transportations; 126,021 in manufacturing and mechanical pursuits; 122,288 in domestic and personal service and 12,805 in professional service.

TAFT OFF FOR WASHINGTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—In a closed automobile heading a procession of cars, President-elect Taft to-day left the home of his brother, Henry W. Taft, at No. 36 West Forty-eight street. Accompanied by Mrs. Taft he took the Cincinnati express of the Chesapeake & Ohio bound for Washington. Mrs. Taft may go to Cincinnati before the inauguration.

On the way to the Pennsylvania ferry the party stopped at the home and studio of George B. Torrey, the artist, at No. 27 East Thirty-fifth street. There they viewed the portrait of Mr. Taft which Mr. Torrey is working on.

WOMAN MUST PAY $32,000 ON NOTES

Mrs. Willoughby H. Stuart, daughter of the late Arioch Wentworth, who in 1904 contested her father's will and was awarded $1,250,000, must pay $32,000, obtained on notes from the Newton Centre Savings Bank and the Newton Centre Trust Company, by her husband, formerly the British vice-consul in this city.

This decree was handed down by the full bench of the Supreme Court of the State yesterday, and thus ends a battle that had been carried on for years before auditors and the courts of the Commonwealth.

CITY WORKERS FIGHT FOR PENSION SYSTEM

The joint council of the various unions of city government employes will fight in the Legislature for a pension system that provides that the city shall put in the fund $2 for each dollar contributed by an employe. This was decided upon at a meeting last evening. President Edward F. Connolly of the joint council and Michael O'Brien, the national president, will act as a committee to get the bill through the Legislature. A special meeting will be held Friday night at the Wells Memorial Building to take up the matter.

POWERS ADOPT 71 RULES FOR SEA WARFARE

LONDON, Feb. 27.—The Foreign Office has issued the following:

"An important declaration was signed at the naval conference consisting of seventy-one articles containing a large body of generally recognized rules of naval warfare.

"In accordance with a resolution the record of the proceedings of the naval conference and the terms of the declaration as signed will not be published before March 20."

The International Naval Conference met on December 4 at the initiation of Great Britain and has been in session until now, attended by delegates from ten maritime nations. Every point debated by the conference was settled except that regarding the conversion of merchant ships into ships of war by belligerents. On that point the delegates found it impossible to agree.

There was a long debate toward the close of the conference upon a request from the State Department at Washington for a declaration by the conference that the prize court shall be considered a court of arbitration only and not a court of appeal, the United States Supreme Court being the final court of appeal for American citizens under the Constitution.

The conference finally decided to express itself favorably as to this, and the American delegates now express themselves as fully satisfied with the results of the conference. The American delegates are Rear-Admiral Charles H. Stockton and Professor George Grafton Wilson of Brown University.

A. C. RATSHESKYS SAIL FOR EUROPE

A. C. Ratshesky of the United States Trust Company and Mrs. Ratshesky sailed on the steamer Amerika from New York today for Europe. As a member of the Chelsea Board of Control, Mr. Ratshesky will study various city governments while on the trip. Mr. and Mrs. Ratshesky were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ehrlich and Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Strauss. Before the steamer sailed an impromptu reception was held on the steamer. The party will remain abroad three months.

SIR EDWARD MORRIS WILL FORM CABINET

ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Feb. 27.—It is officially announced that Sir Edward Morris, the Opposition leader, has been invited by Governor MacGregor to form a ministry in succession to the Bond Government which resigned. Sir Edward has accepted the invitation.

Belching, sour stomach, heartburn and all dyspeptic troubles are quickly relieved by Dyspeplets. Try them. 10c.

"Wonderful, is the only Word

I can think of, that gives any idea of what Hood's Sarsaparilla did for me.

I was sick, and all run-down, and generally so poor in health I could not get out of doors. I had asthma and heart disease, was not able to work, was very nervous, and unable to sleep. I had severe pains in my left side, which three doctors failed to relieve. The first bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla did me an immense amount of good. I continued until I had taken five bottles. The change is really wonderful. I feel like a new man, am able to do a fair day's work, sleep at night, have no trouble with my heart, and am greatly relieved from asthma. I feel full of courage once more, and life seems brighter and worth living. I recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla to all affected as I have been, for I know it will help them." H. J. Wright, Oxford, N. Y., Jan. 31, 1909.

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7-20-4 R. G. SULLIVAN'S

10c. CIGAR.

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Double Legal Stamps will be given with every purchase mornings until 11 o'clock noon at Wolf's, "My Clothier," corner Hanover and Portland streets. Single stamps thereafter.

MAMMOTH RIGHT WHALE

EXHIBITION at Otis wharf daily, near Rowe wharf; open Sunday eve.

ALL DISTRESS FROM STOMACH AND INDIGESTION IS ENDED FOREVER

Why not start now—to-day, and forever rid yourself of Stomach trouble and Indigestion? A dieted stomach gets the blues and grumbles. Give it a good eat, then take Pape's Diapepsin to start the digestive juices working. There will be no dyspepsia or belching of Gas or eructations of undigested food; no feeling like a lump of lead in the stomach, or heartburn, sick headache and Dizziness, and your food will not ferment and poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Pape's Diapepsin costs only 50 cents for a large case at any drug store here, and will relieve the most obstinate case of Indigestion and Upset Stomach in five minutes.

There is nothing else better to take Gas from Stomach and cleanse the stomach and intestines, and, besides, one triangule will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all your food the same as a sound, healthy stomach would do it.

When Diapepsin works, your stomach rests—gets itself in order, cleans up—and then you feel like eating when you come to the table, and what you eat will do you good.

Absolute relief from all Stomach Misery is waiting for you as soon as you decide to begin taking Diapepsin. Tell your druggist that you want Pape's Diapepsin, because you want to be thoroughly cured of Indigestion.

Read the Ads in "Want Ad" Section. Read the Ads in "Want Ad" Section. Read the Ads in "Want Ad" Section.

'MARTIN BROKE LAW,' DECLARES LUCE IN REPLY

Representative Robert Luce, who made the sensational charges before the Committee on Prisons that men had been released from Deer Island through the payment of money—and gave the names of the men and the amounts paid—declared to-day that former Penal Commissioner James B. Martin was a lawbreaker in allowing the parole of these men.

Mr. Martin was at the hearing and when Mr. Luce got through he jumped to his feet and made this statement:

"The commissioner has no power in these cases, as it is the district attorney who directs usually, on the suggestion of the probation officer. I never discharged a man for political reasons, nor was I asked to."

Now, Mr. Luce comes right back at Mr. Martin with the law in the case. Here is the law:

REVISED LAWS, STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS.

CHAPTER 225.

SECTION 121. A probation officer may, with the consent of the county commissioners, or, in the county of Suffolk, of the PENAL INSTITUTIONS COMMISSIONER of the city of Boston, investigate the case of any person who is imprisoned in a jail or house of correction for a misdemeanor upon a sentence of not more than six months, or upon a longer sentence of which not more than six months remain unexpired, for the purpose of ascertaining the probability of his reformation, if released from imprisonment.

If, after such investigation, he recommends the release of the prisoner, and the court which imposed the sentence, or, if the sentence was imposed by the Superior Court, the district attorney, certifies a concurrence in such recommendation, the county commissioners or the PENAL INSTITUTIONS COMMISSIONER may, if they consider it expedient, release him upon probation, upon such terms and conditions as they may prescribe and may require a bond for the fulfillment of such conditions. The surety upon any such bond many at any time take and surrender its principal, and the county commissioners or the PENAL INSTITUTIONS COMMISSIONER may at any time order any prisoner released by them upon probation to return to the prison from which he was released. The provision of this section was released. The persons held upon sentence of the courts of the United States.

"I should like to ask Mr. Martin, and I shall be interested in knowing," said Mr. Luce, to-day, "if he was not required by this law—section 121 of chapter 225—to approve every parole, and if it was not the purpose of the law that his knowledge of the prisoner, while in his charge, should be taken into account in granting the parole."

CAN YOU EAT through your veil? That's the novel subject of one of many absorbing pages for women in To-morrow's SUNDAY AMERICAN.

MRS. STOKES ILL FROM EATING TAINTED BEEF

Mrs. J. G. Phelps Stokes of New York, formerly Rose Pastor, is ill in Lynn from eating roast beef which she says was tainted.

The present agitation in Massachusetts about the use of tuberculous beef as food makes the case of Mrs. Stokes all the more striking.

Mr. Stokes, the young Socialist millionaire, and his wife are making a lecture tour of eastern Massachusetts in aid of their Socialistic beliefs. They spoke Thursday in Amesbury.

Thursday noon both ate roast beef in an Amesbury hotel. It was Mrs. Stokes's portion of the beef which, as she says and as Mr. Stokes believes, was tainted. She suffered greatly Thursday night and all day yesterday. To-day she is better. She hopes to be able to leave their hotel in Lynn to fulfill an engagement in Boston to-night.

Had to Stop Talking.

Mr. and Mrs. Stokes spoke in Odd Fellows' Hall, Lynn, last night. Mrs. Stokes was able to talk only a few moments, however. She explained to her audience and her Socialistic friends that she was not feeling well. She was driven back in a carriage to the Hotel Seymour, where they lodged in Lynn.

To-day Mr. Stokes, at the Seymour, gave the following account of his wife's illness and its cause:

"Thursday noon we had dinner at a hotel in Amesbury. We ordered roast beef. My wife ate a mouthful of her meat and said: 'I think there are ptomaines in this meat.'

"She seemed alarmed. I had tasted my meat and thought it all right. So I told her I guessed the meat would not harm her and that it probably was all right. She ate more of it, but not so much as she ordinarily would have. It's just as well, I guess, that she did not.

"Before the lecture that night my wife complained of feeling ill. But she did not show any bad effects till yesterday morning when we were in Salem.

Seemed Seriously Ill.

"Yesterday morning she seemed seriously ill. There is no question in my mind that her illness was caused by the bad meat she ate.

"She was weak and nauseated. She kept as quiet as possible in Salem till we had to go to Lynn in the afternoon. Mrs. Stokes kept in her room at the Seymour till time to go to last night's lecture. She was able to speak only a few minutes. Then she was driven back to the hotel.

"She is better to-day. But she still has some ill effects from her sickness. We plan to go to Boston later to-day, for we have an engagement to speak in Boston to-night."

Mrs. Stokes did not call in any of the local physicians. Mr. Stokes has had medical training. He prescribed simple remedies for his wife.

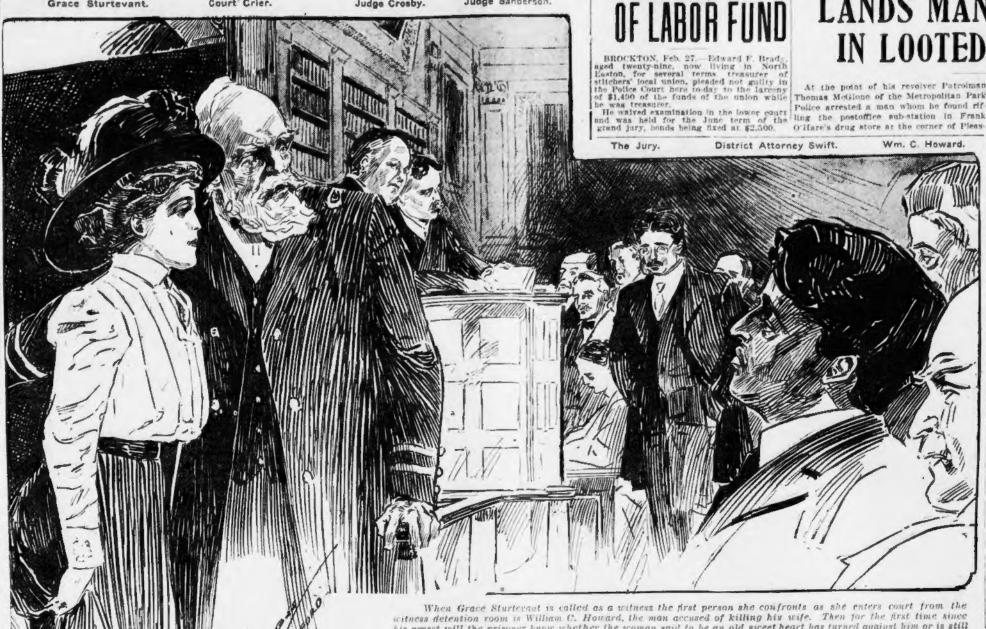
BURGLARS RIFLE SOMERVILLE OFFICE

Burglars entered the office of the J. A. Marsh Coal Company on Park street, Somerville, early to-day, took $4 from an open safe and started to drill the door of a locked safe in the same office. They evidently were frightened away before they completed their job. Entrance was probably gained through the front-door transom. After rifling the open safe the burglars knocked off the knob of the combination lock on the locked safe and drilled several small holes in the door. Then for some reason they cleaned up their kit and departed. Somerville police are now working on the case.

ARREST FILIPINO YOUTH AS FRAUD

Rafael A. Dimayuga, a Filipino, is under arrest, charged with having obtained money under false pretences. Dimayuga is twenty-four years old and came to America to obtain an education. He lives at 4A Allston street. His method, it is alleged, was to go among the wealthy people of the city seeking subscriptions, which, according to his story, would be used to pay the expenses of some of his countrymen, now students in America, back to their native land. It is believed that Dimayuga used the money to pay for his own education. He has long wanted to enter Harvard and hoped to do so soon.

THE DRAMATIC MOMENT IN THE HOWARD TRIAL.


Grace Sturtevant.
Court Crier.
Judge Crosby.
Judge Sanderson.
The Jury.
District Attorney Swift.
Wm. C. Howard.

When Grace Sturtevant is called as a witness the first person she confronts as she enters court from the witness detention room is William C. Howard, the man accused of killing his wife. Then for the first time since his arrest will the prisoner know whether the woman said to be an old sweet heart has turned against him or is still true. Miss Sturtevant is now a witness for the State. At another trial when the prisoner was the defendant she was a witness on Howard's side.

WITNESS HEARD WOMAN SCREAM

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in this city and had been spending his summers at Padanaram for several years. That night a Mr. Matthewson was with him on the boat and they were both startled by the scream.

Finding of the Body.

Harry W. Rex told how he found the body of the dead woman near the bridge the next day. It lay in about two feet of water.

More than 100 women got into the court room to-day and several hundred persons were unable to gain entrance. The interest in the trial surpasses anything of the kind ever taken in any similar event in this section of the State.

HART RECALLED IN CONTROVERSY OVER HIS EYESIGHT

Gardner T. Hart, proprietor of the Padanaram Pavilion, was the first witness to-day, being placed on the stand by District Attorney Swift in re-direct examination. He asked:

"Something was said yesterday in your cross-examination about your eyesight being affected. Now, Mr. Hart, have you ever been connected with the State militia?"

"Yes, for the past hree years," replied Hart.

Q.—Whether you gave any special attention to marksmanship? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—What was your rating in marksmanship and what your test? A.—I shot at the company range until I had made a score better than 20 out of a possible 25 on a 200, 300 and 500 yard range. That made me a first class marksman.

Edward T. Bannon, junior counsel for the defence, who tried to show that the witness had bad eyes. The witness has a cast in his left eye. Mr. Bannon requested the witnesses to turn toward the jury during the remainder of his examination, in order that they might observe the condition of Mr. Hart's left eye.

The witness was then turned over to

Q.—During your shooting did you ever use your left eye? A.—Yes, sir.

Q.—Did you ever have your eyes operated upon? A.—No, sir.

Q.—Have you ever had them looked at by an oculist? A.—Yes, sir, they were examined by Dr. Shaw of Marlboro street, Boston.

Q.—Were you discharged by Henry P. Willis because you could not find things in the store, were you not? A.—Yes, but that was no fault of my eyesight. I couldn't find the things because I didn't know where they were located.

This concluded the examination of Mr. Hart.

HEARD SCREAM OF A WOMAN ON FATAL NIGHT

Alton W. Chase of New Bedford, eighteen years old, a student at the New Bedford Textile School, was the next witness called. He testified that he was familiar with Padanaram Bridge and the locality, as he had spent the last twelve Summers there.

Q.—What were you doing last Summer? A.—I was running a fish market.

Q.—Was the market being conducted by you on September 18 and on the 19th? A.—Yes.

Q.—Where was this market located? A.—Near the pavilion at the end of the car tracks.

Q.—Where did you spend your nights while at Padanaram? A.—Sometimes at the cottage, sometimes at my house or on the house boat which is near the wharf.

Q.—Where did you spend the night of September 19? A.—On the house boat.

Q.—State the location of this house boat? A.—Fifty feet north of the ice company's wharf.

Q.—Were you awake on that evening and until how long? A.—Until quarter after twelve.

Q.—Up to that time on that evening was anyone with you? A.—Yes. Mr. Mathewson.

"Heard a Muffled Scream."

Q.—How long was Mr. Mathewson with you? A.—I should say from ten minutes after ten to ten minutes after twelve. About two hours.

Q.—Who is this Mr. Mathewson? A.—A captain of Mr. Hathaway's yacht. The yacht was in the harbor.

Q.—Whether or not your attention was drawn to anything unusual that night? A.—While we were talking I heard distinctly a muffled scream for an instant and some fifteen minutes afterward the sound of a pair of oars being pulled through the water.

Q.—From the nature of the scream, could you tell me whether it was a man's or a woman's voice? A.—A woman, I should say.

Q.—Where were you at this time? A.—I was lying on the couch.

Q.—Did you speak to Mr. Mathewson about it? A.—Yes.

Q.—Do you know where Mr. Mathewson is now? A.—I believe he is in South America.

Q.—From what direction did this scream appear to come? A.—From the direction of the bridge.

Q.—And the direction of the sound of the oars? A.—From the clam bake wharf.

Q.—Did you know of the finding of Mrs. Howard's body? A.—I did. I saw the body at the float.

Thus ended the direct examination and the witness was taken in hand by Attorney Morton for cross-examination.

Under Cross-Examination.

Chase was then asked:

Q.—How were you able to fix the time? A.—I had an alarm clock aboard and I remember of asking Mr. Mathewson the time.

Q.—During the time that Mr. Mathewson was aboard did you both hear the scream and the sound of the oars, and there were visitors on Mr. Hathaway's yacht that night, were there not? A.—Yes, and for that reason Mr. Mathewson came over to spend the night with me.

Q.—Now, the sound of the oars which you heard might have been some of the Hathaway guests returning to the shore? A.—It might.

Q.—There is a float near the wharf? A.—Yes.

Q.—And it is nearer to go that way to reach the car? A.—No, it is not. The New Bedford Yach Club wharf is the one generally used by all yachtsmen.

Q.—Do you know where the Hathaway visitors landed that night? A.—I do not.

Q.—And you never took the trouble to inquire? A.—No.

Q.—Do people fish much there at night? A.—Not often.

Q.—Did you see any people fishing that night? A.—I saw some people eeling. I could see their lights in the distance.

Q.—Where did you see these lights? A.—Near the bend of the shore.

Q.—How many lights did you see? A.—I believe there were two.

Q.—Do you know their names? A.—I do not.

Q.—Now, Padanaram is much frequented during the Summer time, and do you remember whether there were many people around at that time of night? A.—No, I do not.

"Rarely Stay So Late."

Q.—The yachtsmen frequent the harbor at all times? A.—Yes, but I don't know that many were around at that time of night.

Q.—Then they must be a different breed of yachtsmen? A.—I do not know what you mean by different breed. There weren't many around about 11 o'clock.

Q.—Is not Padanaram frequented by young people in the Summer evenings, and were there not couples on the bridge? A.—I don't know exactly, but it is rarely that they are to be seen between 11 and 12 o'clock.

Q.—Yet the bridge is frequented by young people? A.—Yes, but they don't generally stay late.

Q.—Now, you heard the sound of the oars between 11 and 12; how long was that before Mr. Mathewson left? A.—I should say about half an hour. I would fix the time at about twenty minutes of twelve.

Q.—When you both heard the scream what was your impression as to the cause? A.—We thought it came from a couple of sweethearts on the bridge.

Q.—You spoke to Inspector Sylvia about it subsequently? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did Inspector Sylvia ask you why you did not investigate? A.—I don't think so.

Q.—How did this scream sound to you, you say it was muffled? A.—It pierced the air for a moment and then stopped as if being choked off.

Q.—You have heard screams like that before? A.—No, I've heard sounds of laughter, but not screams, and the lateness of the hour made us think it unusual.

Q.—Then your impression was that it was a man and woman together? A.—Yes.

Q.—Are you confident that the screams came from the north? A.—Yes.

"Simeone Being Attacked."

Q.—Did you hear any teams or automobiles crossing the bridge that night? A.—I don't recollet.

Q.—How was the tide? A.—The tide was rising on the flood.

Q.—Padanaram was quite a place where couples come to spend the evening, is it not? A.—Yes.

The witness was then taken over by District Attorney Swift for re-direct examination. He was asked:

Q.—Mr. Morton has been asking you as to couples frequenting the bridge on Summer evenings. Now let me direct you to the end of September, were there so many couples at that time? A.—No, the numbers were growing less after that time; that is, the members at the yacht club.

Q.—Have you ever heard of people being on the bridge after 11 o'clock at night in September? A.—No.

Q.—Did you say that it was Mr. Mathewson's impression that some one was being attacked. Was that your impression? A.—Yes, and I thought so by the fact that the scream was cut off so short.

This concluded the examination of this witness.

"After we crossed," said the witness, "glancing out I saw an object in the water. I did not take any particular notice of it, as I thought it was a fish. On going back, I walked along close to the railing on the north side, intending to look for the fish.

"I first saw a salt fish, and I thought I would look to see if there were any more. Next I saw a tautog, and had walked almost the entire length of the bridge when I was brought up suddenly by seeing an object close to the wall."

The witness was then asked:

Q.—Describe its appearance? A.—I saw some dark clothes, a pair of shoes, a light skirt and a dark skirt, a coat and a mass of hair. As I stood looking at it for some minutes, I couldn't make up my mind what it was. I decided that it was a body.

Q.—Was it the body of a man or woman? A.—A woman. The face was downward and the hair was spread about somewhat loosely. The white skirt showed one or two inches above the tops of the shoes, which stuck into the dress.

Head Was Out of the Water.

Q.—How deep was the water at this point? A.—Two feet.

Q.—Did you call anyone's attention to this? A.—Yes, to Charles Macomber, and afterwards we saw a man on a motorcycle, who notified the authorities.

Q.—Can you give any further description? A.—The head was out of the water about two inches and the back sloped gradually until the legs and the toes were turned into the dirt. The head was about two feet from the wall and the feet about an inch away. The body lay face downward, so that the face could not be seen. The water had washed the hair away, so that a portion of the left ear could be seen.

Q.—How long did you stay there? A.—I stayed until Officer Neil took charge of the body.

Rex was cross-examined by Attorney Morton for the defendant. He was asked:

Q.—Did you see Howard go down to the float to identify his wife on that Sunday? A.—I saw a soldier there, but I didn't know what his name was.

Q.—Did you see him again that day? A.—Yes, I saw him on the south side of the wharf and on a side street.

Q.—Did you notice his appearance. A.—His face was in his hands a good deal.

Q.—Have you said that he appeared like a grief stricken man? A.—Yes, I said that to an officer.

Q.—Who was that officer? A.—Deputy Sheriff Whalley. He came to me and said: "I am Deputy Sheriff Whalley for the defense." I told him that I had been summonsed by the government and he said that that didn't make any difference. He said he had some questions and he wanted me to answer them. He asked my opinion of how Howard appeared after identifying the body of his wife on Sunday. I told him I would rather not answer that question. He said: "You must answer it."

Q.—Then you answered him that way? A.—Yes, I said that Howard acted like a grief-stricken man. I asked him if he wanted my opinion, and he snapped his fingers and said, "I don't give that for your opinion."

WITNESS TELLS OF HOWARD'S VISIT TO THE PAVILION

David R. Simmons testified that he was a carpenter and joiner by trade and lived at Marion during last Summer and Fall. He said he worked for Mr. Hart at the Padanaram pavilion. He also stated that he was working at the pavilion on the night of September 19 and stopped work between 10 and 10:30 that night. He corroborated the testimony of Mr. Hart to the effect that Howard came to the pavilion between 3 and 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon dressed in his blue uniform and purchased a piece of tobacco.

He was then asked:

Q.—Did Mr. Hart speak to you about the defendant that day? A.—Not until that evening at about 8 o'clock.

Q.—Was Howard the subject matter of the conversation between you and Hart that Sunday evening?

Attorney Morton was on his feet with an objection almost instantly, but the objection was overruled by Judges Sanderson and Crosby, and the witness answered:

"Yes, he was."

Mr. Simmons was then turned over to the attorneys for the defence for cross-examination and asked by Attorney Morton:

Q.—Have you talked over your testimony in this case with any one during the last three adys? A.—Yes, I have talked with Charles M. Harold and Mrs. Florence Gibbs.

Q.—With any one else? A.—Yes, the day before yesterday I talked with Inspectors Sylvia and Gendron.

Q.—Didn't you tell Mr. Bannon and myself that you got home that night between ten minutes of 11 and 11 o'clock? A.—I don't think I did.

Hart Was Playing Solitaire.

Q.—Now, didn't you get home between 10:50 and 11:10 o'clock? A.—I couldn't say for sure. I got home some time between 10:30 and 11 o'clock, I think.

Q.—Have you talked over this testimony with Gardner Hart? A.—Yes, I did the day before yesterday.

Q.—When you left the pavilion had the 10:15 car come in? A.—There was no car at the end of the line. It had not come in.

Q.—What was Mr. Hart doing when you left the pavillion that night? A.—Playing solitaire.

District Attorney Swift then took the witness in redirect examination.

Q.—When did the government summons you? A.—Two days ago.

Attorney Morton then asked a last question in re-cross-examination:

Q.—Do you know if any witnesses have been summonsed by the defence? A.—No, sir, I do not know.

Charles S. Macomber was then called to the stand. He was with Mr. Rex when Mrs. Howard's body was found on Sunday in the Apponegansett River, according to his testimony. He corroborated Mr. Rex's testimony as to the finding of the body.

MARKS ON NECK OF MRS. HOWARD, SAYS CONSTABLE

New and startling testimony was introduced shortly before the noon recess to-day to the effect that Constable Charles H. Mead of Dartmouth discovered marks on the cheek and on the neck of the body of Mrs. Howard. Constable Meade said that the marks were three or more in number and were plainly visible. He was questioned by District Attorney Swift:

Q.—When did you receive news of the finding of the body? A.—At 12:15 on September 20. At that time I received a telephone message from Dr. Cushman and I got in my wagon and drove toward the bridge.

Q.—Was anyone with you? A.—Yes, my father-in-law, Dr. William Channing. At that time my left hand was in bandages, so we arranged to go together. As we neared the Padanaram Bridge we saw a big crowd of people assembled, and I remarked that this was the place all right. The doctor went into the shed to get the oars, and he towed the boat to where the bod ywas.

Q.—In what part of the boat were you? A.—I was seated in the back part.

Q.—What was the position of this body? A.—It was at the side of the causeway, some 300 feet west from the wooden part of the bridge. We rowed the boat longside.

Noticed Marks on Body.

Q.—Describe the condition? A.—There was, I shoul dsay, about three or four feet of water. The had lay pointing toward the west and the body was moving slightly with the motion of the water which had been disturbed by the number of motor boats and other small craft that swarmed aroung to look at the body.

Q.—Describe what you did? A.—I pulled her by the right arm so that I could see part of her face.

Q.—Describe to the jury what you saw. A.—I noticed some marks on the cheek and just under the jaw bone.

Q.—How many? A.—I should say there were more than three and they looked to me to be of a reddish blue. I called Dr. Canning's attention to the marks and we spoke of them as we towed the body over to the float.

Here the witness demonstrated the position of the marks to the jury, using District Attorney Swift as a subject. He indicated a mark on the right cheek and one below on the neck right under the jaw bone. The questioning was then resumed:

Q.—How did the marks appear to you? A.—As finger marks.

Howard With Inspector.

Attorney Morton objected to this answer, and the objection was sustained. Witness was then told to give some other kind of description. The question was then put in this form:

Q.—Describe the size, color and appearance of the marks? A.—I should say the size of a cent piece, not perfectly round, and they were a reddish blue in color.

Q.—Did you turn the face a little out of the water? A.—I did.

Q.—Did you observe anything about the lips? A.—No. I called Dr. Channing's attention to the marks and we then put a rope about the right arm and rowed the boat across to Mr. Tryon's float.

Q.—Did you there tie the body up to the float? A.—Yes, and we let it rest there until Inspector Sylvia came.

Q.—What time was that? A.—About 3 o'clock.

Q.—Was he alone? A.—No, there was a man with him.

Q.—Who was the man? A.—A man whom I afterwards knew as Howard.

Q.—Describe his appearance. A.—He had on a blue uniform and a military cap.

Q.—Did Inspector Sylvia bring him to the float? A.—Yes.

Q.—What was done? A.—Inspector Sylvia went over to where the body laid and took hold of the rope. He turned the body a little and asked Howard if that was she. Howard said "yes," and then said "I bought her that coat."

Q.—What did Howard do next. A.—There was a chair on the float and Howard sat in it. He sat there with his hands over his face.

Saw Froth at the Mouth.

Q.—State whether or not when the body was taken out that you observed the marks on the cheek and neck? A.—I did.

Q.—Did you notice her face after you lifted the body to the float? A.—I noticed her lips were puffed and dark, but I couldn't tell you much about it because it became discolored quickly.

Q.—Did you notice anything else about the face or head? A.—I noticed froth at the mouth and some blood coming from the nose and a little blood from the left ear.

Q.—What did you do with the body after you placed in on the float? A.—It was a warm, pleasant day so we covered her with a blanket.

DENIES THEFT OF LABOR FUND

BROCKTON, Feb. 27.—Edward F. Brady, aged twenty-nine, now living in North Easton, for several terms treasurer of stitchers' local union, pleaded not guilty in the Police Court here to-day to the larceny of $1,490 of the funds of the union while he was treasurer.

He waived examination in the lower court and was held for the June term of the grand jury, bonds being fixed at $2,500.

POLICEMAN WITH PISTOL LANDS MAN HE CAUGHT IN LOOTED DRUG STORE

At the point of his revolver Patrolman Thomas McGlone of the Metropolitan Park Police arrested a man whom he found rifling the postoffice sub-station in Frank O'Hare's drug store at the corner of Pleasant street and Malden boulevard, Malden, early to-day.

A confederate who had been standing guard outside and who gave a warning whistle when McGlone came around the corner, escaped.

The man arrested had in his pockets, according to the police, $11 in cash, $5 worth of stamps and cigars and other goods to teh value of $14.

The drug store had been entered by jimmying a rear window. While the guard stood in the rear of the store the other pried open the door of the little room used for sub-station No. 118 of Boston postoffice and forced the stamp drawer.

At 1:30 Patrolman McGlone came along the boulevard on his rounds. He heard a sound of breaking wood from the drug store. Running around to the rear he was seen by the burglar on guard who gave a shrill whistle and vanished in the darkness.

McGlone went inside the store and met the inside man starting out. The latter started to argue that he was all right, but McGlone drew his revolver and told him to shut up and come along. McGlone took the man to the Metropolitan police station at Stoneham.

The prisoner said he was John H. Currier of No. 3 Chardon street, Boston. He was taken to Malden District Court later to-day and arraigned.

NORDICA IS CUT OFF IN AUNT'S WILL

Madame Lillian Nordica, the grand opera prima donna, who is in Boston to-day to sing at Symphony Hall this afternoon, is cut off in the $100,000 will of her aunt by marriage, Mrs. Nannie F. Allen of Malden.

Mrs. Allen says in her will that she left no bequest to Madame Nordica because she believes the prima donna has sufficient wealth and does not need any of her aunt's money.

The testatrix was the widow of the late John W. Allen of Malden. Mrs. Allen cut off all her own blood relatives on the ground that the estate was that of her husband, and therefore should go to his relatives. But the widow also made discrimination among her husband's relatives, cutting off those whom she believed well enough provided already. Among these is Madame Nordica.

Among those cut off with Madame Nordica are Imogene A. Costello of Los Angeles, Ione A. Walker of New York and Anna M. Baldwin of Boston. Talk is heard that contest may be entered by some of the disinherited.

Mrs. Allen's will has been filed for probate at Middlesex County Probate Court at East Cambridge. The only public bequest is two lots of land to Malden Hospital.

All the legatees must take oath, before receiving their bequests, that they will devote no part of the money to church or religious purposes. Mrs. Allen said that such would have been her husband's wishes.

REVIVAL'S REAL TEST IN PLEDGE 10,000 GAVE

The following is from the pastor of the Central Congregational Church of this city:

Feb. 26, 1909.

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—It seems to me that one of the most significant features of the Chapman revival has in some way passed unnoticed by the editors of our leading papers. It was, in fact, the climax of the whole movement, and showed more clearly than anything else the deep underlying purpose which Dr. Chapman had in mind, not merely to transform the individual, but to endeavor to get a mass of indivduals to work together for the betterment of society and for the elimination of those evils which constitute the misery of our present civilization.

At the final meeting on Sunday evening, Dr. Chapman made a stirring appeal to the people to get themselves in the service of the city, and then asked all to rise who were willing, at the cost of whatever sacrifice of time and money might prove necessary, to devote themselves to work to make Boston the model city of America in its industrial and political life.

The whole audience of 10,000 people stood up. He then asked those who had risen, if they really meant to do it, to say so, and the whole audience responded, "I will."

It seems to me that it should be brought home to these people and to the city at large, what tremendous significance there is in that pledge, if it is taken seriously and solemnly.

The value of the revival will certainly be tested by the extent to which that final promise is followed up, and the emotion of three weeks applied to remedying the permanent conditions of suffering and evil which surrounds us. I am sure you can see the importance of bringing this fact more plainly before the public, and I feel confident that there will be hundreds who will be grateful to your paper for so doing.

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BOSTON SOCIETY MAN TO MARRY GOTHAM BELLE

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

In these, the early days of Lent, society finds itself not so overburdened with the routine of luncheons, dinners and bridges that have so engrossed its time but that they have sufficient time to devote to charity, music, art and literature.

Beginning March 22, Wilhelm Heinrich will give his regular series of musical mornings at the Tuileries. These are always among the most delightful of Lenten diversions, and the musical element of the smart set is always out in force.

Among the prominent women interested and who have given their names as patronesses are Mrs. Eben S. Draper, Mrs. Benjamin F. Lang, Mrs. J. H. Peabody, Mrs. James B. Case, Mrs. Curtis Guild, Jr., Mrs. Reginald P. Fitz, Miss Emma F. Cary, Mrs. Roger Wolcott, Mrs. Alexander Steinert, Mrs. Shepherd Brooks, Miss Elizabeth G. Houghton, Mrs. Frederick R. Sears, Jr., Mrs. James Jackson, Mrs. Thomas B. Williams, Mrs. Robert Farley Clark, Mrs. Gideon Scull, Miss Mary Shreve Ames, Mrs. R. H. White, Mrs. Eliot Hubbard, Mrs. George H. Monks, Mrs. Samuel J. Mixter, Mrs. Oliver Ames, Sr., Miss Alice M. Longfellow and Mrs. George H. Chickering.

Among the Lenten lectures being arranged is the course by professors of the Catholic University of Washington, to be given at the Tuileries March 3, 13 and 22 and the first of April. Mrs. John R. Blake, Mrs. Paul Thorndike, Mrs. Charles Bruen Perkinson and Mrs. Arthur Astor Carey are the society women active in arranging them.

The Boston Authors' Club is entertained this afternoon by Colonel and Mrs. Thomas Wentworth Higginson at their Cambridge residence, when Colonel Higginson will entertain his guests with a dramatic poem, "Algernon in London." Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, president of the club, is among the guests.

Among Bostonians now at St. Augustine, Fla., are Mrs. Alfred Batchelder, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Achorn, who are en route to Palm Beach; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryant, Mrs. William Forbes of Milton and Mrs. A. M. Whitney, Mrs. Charles Head, Walter Hunnewell and his sprightly young daughter, Louisa Hunnewell, are also there for a few days prior to going to Havana.

Still another New York society girl is to become a Boston matron, for next Saturday, at her home in New York, vivacious Jacqueline Kelley, daughter of Commander and Mrs. J. D. Jerrold Kelley, will become the bride of Joseph Ballister Russell, Jr., of Cambridge.

Miss Kelley is a decided belle in New York society, and during her brief visits in Boston has become quite popular. She is a decidedly attractive girl with unbounded talent for music, dancing and amateur theatricals.

She will be a decided acquisition to the younger matron set of Boston that goes in for this sort of amusement, and will no doubt become as popular here as she has in her native city.

Mr. Russell is a son of Joseph B. Russell of Cambridge and a nephew of the late Governor William B. Russell of Massachusetts.

The ceremony, which will be witnessed by only the members of the two families and a few intimate friends, will take place at the home of the bride, No. 25 East Eighty-third street.

The Misses Muriel and Nathalie Kelley, sisters of the bride, will be the only attendants. Charles T. Russell will be his brother's best man. After the honeymoon in the South the young people will return to Cambridge, where they will make their future home.

Among those to go on from Boston for the occasion are the groom's parents, his younger sister, Julia, and Mrs. Robert H. Nelson, who was a bride of last Summer.

Society is looking anxiously forward to the annual Copley exhibit of paintings, accompanied by teas, which will open at Copley Hall on the evening of March 2 with a private view.

An interesting engagement to Boston is that announced yesterday by Mrs. Joseph A. Campbell of Brooklyn, N. Y., of her daughter, Miss Helen Spence, to Charles M. Rogerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Rogerson of Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Cushman of Commonwealth avenue and Mrs. Cushman's attractive daughter, Miss Isabella P. Hankin, sailed to-day from New York for Bermuda.

To-morrow night Mrs. Lila Vlies Wyman will hold her second "studio evening" in the Boylston Chambers. Miss Ida Mulle and Ryota Sayemetsa will be the entertainers.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Averill of No. 47 Gibson street, Dorchester, enter to-day on their twenty-sixth year of happy married life. The completion of the even quarter-century of marriage was celebrated by a silver wedding and reception last night at the Averill home at which all the guests were present who attended the wedding ceremony twenty-five years ago. The couple was married by the late Phillips Brooks when he was rector of Trinity parish. Mr. and Mrs. Averill have ten children. All were present at the family reunion last night as follows: Archie, Jr., twenty-four years, married and living with his parents; Dexter S., twenty-two years; Alice A., twenty years; Katherine W., twenty years; Howland C., sixteen years; Garfield S., fourteen years; Harriet G., twelve years; Girdwood L., nine years; Ellsworth L., seven years; Winthrop E., five months. Mrs. Anna J. Learned, seventy-nine years old and mother of Mrs. Averill, was also present.

Nearly every college in New England was represented among the 2,000 guests at the annual Klatsch Collegium (convocation of gossipers) of the Gamma Delta Sorority of Boston University at the Liberal Arts building on Boylston street last night. The Gamma Delta includes the 400 co-eds of the university. Miss Edith A. Holton of Falmouth was head usher. She was assisted by a corps of ushers from the four classes, as follows:

Seniors—Miss Florence F. Felton of Cliftondale, Miss Stella B. Shute of Marlboro, Miss Maud E. McManama of Waltham and Miss Rosetta E. Blankwitz of Turners Falls.

Juniors—Miss Vida E. Buchanan of Irasburg, Vt., Miss Helen L. Byrne of Roxbury, Miss Mary E. Murphy of Jamaica Plain, Miss Elizabeth M. Driscoll of Holliston, Miss Frances R. Harris of Chelsea; Miss Ruth Foote of Boston and Miss Ella F. Haskell of Malden.

Sophomores—Miss Elizabeth L. Kimpton of Somerville, Miss Ethel S. Kingman of Somerville, Miss Beatrice Whitney of Boston, Miss Louise A. Forrest of Cambridge, Miss Elsa Mabel Sprague of Allston.

Freshmen—Miss Bertha M. Dodge of Dorchester, Miss Edna C. Whitcomb of Boston, Miss Marion A. Benton of Roxbury, Miss Marion D. Woodley of West Somerville and Miss Sadie B. Prior of East Boston.

The Gamma Delta officers in direct charge of the Klatsch were: President Baker, Vice-President Elgina I. Mortonson of Boston, Secretary Marg G. Magner of Bingham, Treasurer Helen I. Allen of Provincetown; Executive Committee Ruth A. Baker of Melrose, Fannie P. Rexford of Winsted, Ct., Agnes F. Hayward of Watertown, Edna Whitcomb of Boston.

The Young Men's Catholic Association is planning a festival to be held in Mechanics' Hall April 19 in aid of the new building fund of Boston College. It is expected to realize $10,000 or more. Preliminary arrangements were made at a meeting of the executive officers of the association last night. Two hundred Catholic women, who will assist in the festival plans, were present at the meeting.

The annual junior "prom" of Emerson College of Oratory took place at the Hotel Vendome last night. It was attended by many undergraduates, members of the alumni and guests. The "prom" committee included: Alice Rudisill (chairman), Eunice Story, Delsey Brooks, Alliene Gelple and Hugh W. Towne.

Thirty guests attended the annual dinner of the Phillips-Exeter Club of Harvard Law School at the Lenox last night. W. M. Rand, '09, captain of the Harvard track team, presided. Professors Tufts and Ford of Phillips Academy and G. N. Lyons, '09, spoke.

Four-year-old Betsey McMurray, daughter of Proprietor Charles McMurray of the Quincy House, delighted the members of the Appleton Associates by reciting "When the Minister Comes to Tea" at the sixth annual reunion of the Associates at the Quincy House last night. The little miss spoke her lines charmingly and was roundly applauded. Retiring President Almond S. Gushee presided. Speakers were E. H. Keene, Albert Sidlinger, A. M. Newbert, Fred Messer, Walter E. Gushee and Mrs. Harriett Gay. The following officers were elected: President, Llewellyn H. McLain; Vice-President, Sidney B. Keene; Secretary-Treasurer, A. M. Newbert.

MANY INQUIRIES FOR OPERA SEATS

Inquiries concerning the sale of seats for the season of grand opera at the Boston Theatre by Hammerstein's Manhattan Opera Company are daily pouring into the box office. It is announced that requisitions for seats, both for the season and for single performances, can now be made by mail and will be honored in the order of their receipt. The tickets for the season, however, will not be ready for delivery until March 15, 16 and 17, and for the single performances not until March 22.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN BOSTON TO-NIGHT

Symphony Concert, Symphony Hall.

James O. Fagan on "Life and Work on the Railroad." Boston Y. M. C. U.

Superintendent's night, Railroad Agents' Association of New England, South station.

Reunion, Alumni of University of Pennsylvania, Parker House.

Centennary celebration of Park Street Church.

Meeting of M. I. T. Society of Arts.

Reunion, Gilbert Stuart Alumni Association, Fellows' Hall, Dorchester Lower Mills.

Running races, Mechanics building.

Dance, Auditorium banquet hall, Malden.

Rally of Citizens' Civic League, Constitution Hall, Winthrop.

Meeting of Young Ladies' Foreign Mission societies, First Church, Cambridge.

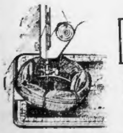
Scotch fair, Tremont Temple.

Celebration of twenty-fifth anniversary of People's Temple.

Debate on tariff, Newton Club, Newton.

Subscription dance, Hunnewell Club, Newton.

Close of Italian Mission Bazaar, No. 287 Hanover street.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BERNHARDT TO PLAY CYRANO

SUN PARIS, Feb. 27.—Sarah Bernhardt will shortly appear in the title role of Edmond Rostand's Cyrano De Bergerac. It is stated that she will make a tour of Europe and America appearing in that character.

"Sarony Girl" Goes Into Second Place With 5,000 Additional Votes.

STANDING OF THE CANDIDATES

NO. 19	22,989	No. 17	3,349
NO. 9	21,134	No. 22	3,303
NO. 2	17,046	No. 21	3,016
NO. 5	14,218	No. 18	2,943
NO. 3	12,036	No. 26	1,934
NO. 4	11,245	No. 27	1,097
No. 7	11,193	No. 28	1,087
No. 20	10,544	No. 29	960
No. 25	10,030	No. 36	944
No. 1	9,737	No. 30	909
No. 24	9,673	No. 34	889
No. 12	8,027	No. 32	832
No. 16	7,899	No. 35	665
No. 15	7,275	No. 33	607
No. 10	7,070	No. 41	601
No. 14	6,357	No. 31	546
No. 23	5,911	No. 43	311
No. 8	5,895	No. 37	302
No. 6	5,521	No. 39	251
No. 11	3,894	No. 38	200
No. 13	3,398	No. 40	125
		No. 42	118

The "Sarony Girl"—so-called—No. 9 in the Charles Frohman AMERICAN Beauty Stage Contest, jumped into second place to day with 21,134 votes.

She is no welose to No. 19, who has managed to lead most of the week. The feat of No. 9 was accomplished mainly by the depositing of 5,000 votes in one bunch by the employes of the Otto Sarony Company. Besides, she got 207 votes independently.

No. 19, however, managed to keep the lead by receiving 1,023 votes. No. 7 received 1,960 and goes to seventh place, just outside the fortunate six. No. 3 jumped from sixth to fifth place with 1,271 votes, and No. 25, who had been eleventh, received 1,250 in one bunch and became ninth, only three steps from the coveted six.

There are now nine of the dainty New England beauties with more than 10,000 votes each.

Fifty Pictures To-morrow.

To-day, the last seven pictures are printed, making fifty in all. To-morrow, in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN, will appear the pictures of all fifty together, all properly numbered. This will open the contest to all the candidates, giving each an equal opportunity from now on.

Due notice will be given of the time when the contest will close—sufficient to give all an opportunity. It will not, however, be long drawn out. THE CONTEST WILL CLOSE SOON.

Six of the fifty girls will be awarded one-year contracts with one of Charles Froman's musical companies, forty weeks at $25 a week. They will have an excellent chance to make their way upon the stage with an enviable start.

Vote By Number.

The voting must be by number, as the names of the candidates will not be published until the contest is finished.

The fifty candidates were selected from over 1,000 pictures submitted. The committee consisted of Miss Hattie Williams of the Charles Frohman "Fluffy Ruffles" company, now playing at the Park Theatre; Charles J. Rich, resident manager for the Frohman, Rich & Harris theatrical interests in this city, and a representative of the BOSTON AMERICAN.

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MUSIC AND MUSICIANS

The mid-winter recital of the Copley Square School of Music will be held March 5, at the school headquarters in the Pierce building. Teachers, pupils and the Davis Orchestra will all participate. The program is well varied and carefully selected. A feature of the evening will be the appearance of Cecil and Cyril Bingham, clever young pianists. Others who will take part in the program are Miss Florence Chamilard, Miss Margaret Fraser, Frank M. Davis, director of the school, Miss E. Maude Quincy, Miss Pearl LaMoure, Miss Bertha Chapman, Miss Bertha J. Chace, Howard Ripley, Miss L. Orra Beach, Miss Jennie Corvin, Miss Dasie Donaghy, Miss Grace F. Hobleu, Mrs. Maude Marden, Miss Mildred Herzig, Miss Edith Herter, Miss Jeannette Holden, Miss Beatrice Marden, Miss Sadie Schreiber, Miss Pauline Rubin, Miss Adelle Shalit, Miss Miriam Carp, Miss Isabel Kempton, Mrs. W. A. Cochran, Miss Ruth Redmond, Miss Maude Rowley, Theodore Sherman and Harry Wilfert.

Florence Chamilard

Jennie Corvin

Leverett B. Merrill, a well-known soloist and vocal instructor, has been engaged to sing the bass sole in Gounod's "Redemption," at the annual Easter production of the Handel and Haydn Society in Symphony Hall, on the evening of Easter Sunday.

The concerts in Boston next week will be as follows: Monday afternoon, Mrs. Helen Hunt will give a song recital in Potter Hall; Tuesday evening, the Hess-Schroeder quartet will give a concert in Chickering Hall and Mr. Gebhard, pianist, will assist; Friday evening, Mrs. Richard J. Hall, assisted by several players of wind instruments and Mrs. Sundelius, soprano, will give a concert in Potter Hall, when the program will include chamber works of H. Woollett; Saturday evening, the concert of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, with Mme. Morena, soprano, of the Metropolitan Opera House, as soloist.

Dr. Wuellner will appear at Symphony Hall tomorrow night as a reciter. He will declaim "The Witch's Song" by the late Ernst von Wildenbruch, with accompanying music by Max Schillings. This will be at the concert in aid of the pension fund of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

The famous hymn "America" now has a new air and one written by an American woman. Mrs. Anna F. Parry of No. 27 Meridian street, Malden, is the author of the composition which is called "The New America." Her work has been praised by musicians as worthy of the stirring lines of the hymn beginning "My Country, 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty." The new setting has been played in this city by the United States Marine Band on two occasions and was loudly applauded in each. It has been often sung by public school pupils and the Malden School Committee has indorsed it as worthy of a place on graduation exercise programs.

A concert by the advanced students of the New England Conservatory of Music was held last evening in Jordan Hall. The admirably rendered program was presented by Miss Mary Cynthia Brigham, Miss Lila Byrne of New Britain, Ct., Miss Fannie Levis of Roxbury, Miss Ethel Keach of Boston, Miss Florence Larrabee of Petersburg, Va., Miss Florence Jepperson of Provo City, Utah, Miss Belle Patterson of Rochelle, Ill., and Miss Susan Downing of Augusta, Me.

Walter Arno.

One of the piano soloists now in great demand is Walter Arno, organist at the Ruggles St. Church. Mr. Arno appeared recently at the concert given in Rochester by Anna Ellis Dexter of Boston. The other talent comprised Edith Castle, A. L. Murphy, Earl Cartwright and Mrs. Elvie Burnett Willard, the talented elocutionist. The recital was given in the Rochester Opera House and the Boston performers were very well received. Mr. Arno will appear in Attleboro, March 10, and in Providence, March 13.

Maurice T. O'Neill will give a concert and recital on Wednesday evening, March 10, in Huntington Chambers Hall. Mr. O'Neill will give readings from his own poems, and with Miss Edna Boyd will be heard in the original fantasia, "Snows of Winter and Flowers of Spring." Scotch and Irish dances will be contributed to the program by the Misses Frances McLaughlin, Rita McKeough, Jeanette McLaughlin and Nellie Ferguson.

Lynn has appeared upon the map as a headquarters for entertainers, an office having been opened there, known as the Lynn Lyceum and Entertainment Bureau, under the management of E. C. Cann, an Alderman of Lynn, who has a wide experience in this line and is taking care of Essex County, engaging and placing entertainers for all societies of all descriptions.

A Charles H. Bond memorial concert is being arranged for next Wednesday evening in Trinity Congregational Church, Neponset. Among those who are expected to be present are President Henry Lawrence Southwick of the Emerson College of Oratory and Leland Powers of the Leland Powers School of Expression. Professor William Whitney of the International School of Music will provide a special number, as will also Ralph Flanders of the New England Conservatory of Music, while Eva Lee will bring tribute from the Faelten Pianoforte School.

Mrs. Elsie Washburn, one of the star students at the Powers School of Expression, will give a recital Monday morning, March 15, at the Tuileries, No. 270 Commonwealth avenue. She will be assisted by Mrs. Frances Dunton Wood, soprano, and Miss Edna Halma, pianist. Tickets may be had of Mrs. Stanley P. Clemens at the Hotel Westminster.

THANKS AMERICAN FOR AID IN REVIVAL

The AMERICAN has received the following letter:

To the Editor of the AMERICAN:

As chairman of publicity in the Chapman-Alexander campaign of evangelism in our city I wish to express my great gratification for the helpful and important service of the AMERICAN. Your paper gave the gist of each day's services to many readers.

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LEAVES DOCTOR $500 FOR HIS KINDNESS

For his kindness to her, $500 has been left by Sarah A. Whittemore, widow of Augustus Whittemore of Brookline, to Arthur Howard Wentworth, a Boston physician, in her will, which was filed for probate in the Dedham Probate Court. The sum of $5,000 is left to the Church of Our Saviour at Carleton and Monmouth streets, Brookline, and $5,000 to the Association for the Work of Mercy in the diocese of Massachusetts, the income only to be expended for the general use of the societies. Ethel Marion Wentworth, daughter of Mrs. Whittemore, is executrix.

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Now that the plan has been revived it is expected that the same opposition will immediately develop. The projectors of the new plan are said, however, to be confident that they can push their charter purpose through.

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"I want to be your baby, Abe," sang one of the girl amateurs at the Columbia and the "business" she put into these few lines was so rich and rare that the audience just howled with delight. She worked her way through the song so nicely that encore after encore was demanded.

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The bill was the best of the season for fun, the lack of girl amateurs being the only drawback. The few who did put in an appearance more than held their own with the best of the "gentlemen" acts.

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TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS: FINANCIAL NEWS

STOCK RALLY JUMPS PRICES

By THOMAS C. SHOTWELL.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The rally in stocks caused by the covering of short contracts continued to-day and nearly all the active issues made high prices for the movement.

Union Pacific was the leader, with an advance of 1⅛ point. Smelters, Steel and Amalgamated were conspicuous in the early trading. Consolidated Gas moved to a new high level.

In commission houses there was little business of importance, and on the floor brokers reported that nearly all the business was being done by professionals and that they were only covering contracts. The general impression seemed to be that the rally would continue for perhaps a day longer, by which time it would invite fresh liquidation.

The statement made by President-elect Taft in regard to the tariff revision has improved sentiment in the street materially.

London was cheerful in the American department.

On the Curb Market stocks were generally higher, especially in the mining department.

A selling movement wiped out nearly all the advances and Reading turned very heavy in the second hour. A report gained currency that Reading directors were considering a distribution of cancelled assets. The result was an advance of 2 points in Reading and a rally in the whole market. The bank statement showed a reserve increase of $324,900; loans decreased $3,139,-100.

Deposits decreased $4,701,200; cash $662,900.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Comparison of to-day's opening and yesterday's closing prices:

RAILROADS.

	Closing. Today.	Closing. Yesterday.
Canadian Pac.	171⅞	171½
Atch., T. & S. F.	102⅝	102
Atch., T. & S. F. pf.	101⅞	102
Balt. & Ohio	106⅞	106⅝
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	71	71⅝
Canadian Pac.	171⅝	171½
Ches. & Ohio	65	65½
Chic. Gt. West.	6	6⅝
Chic. G. W. pr. A.	8¼	8
Chic. M. & St. P.	142⅝	143¾
Chic. & N. W.	176⅛	175⅞
C., C., C. & St. L.	75⅜	74½
Col. & Southern	62	60
Del. & Hudson	171½	172½
Denver & Rio G.	43	43½
Den. & Rio G. pf.	86⅝	85
Erie	27⅝	27¼
Erie 1st pref.	42½	41⅞
Gt. North'n pref.	140⅝	140¼
Illinois Central	140⅝	140½
Int. Metropol	14½	14¾
Int. Met pref.	40¼	40⅞
Iowa Central	28	28½
Ks. City So.	40½	39½
L. E. & W.	..	60½
Louis. & Nash.	129⅛	129
Manhattan E.	145	146
Mx. Cen. ctfs.	20⅛	19½
M. S. P. & S. S. M.	140½	138⅝
Mo., Ks. & Tex.	38⅞	38½
Missouri Pacific	67⅜	66⅜
N. Y. C., Ont. & Hud.	122½	123⅛
N. Y., Ont. & W.	44¼	44⅛
Norfolk and West.	86½	87⅛
Northern Pacific	137⅛	136⅝
Pennsylvania	128⅜	129
Pitt. C. C. & St. L.	89⅛	89⅝
Reading	121⅛	121½
Rock Island	23¼	22¾
Rock Island pf.	61½	60¾
Southern Pacific	116⅛	117
Southern Railway	24⅜	23⅞
Texas & Pacific	31¼	31½
Third Avenue	37½	39⅝
Union Pacific	177	176⅜
Wabash	17⅝	17⅛
Wisconsin Central	45½	43⅞
Wisconsin Central pf.	67⅞	86

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

Amal. Copper	68⅝	67
Am. Ag. Chem.	35⅝	
Am. Car & Fdy	47⅞	47⅝
Am. Cotton Oil	52⅝	52⅜
Amer. Hide & L. pf.	37⅝	37
Amer. Ice Secur.	23¼	23
Amer. Locomotive	50⅞	50½
Amer. Sm. & R.	80⅜	80½
Am. Beet Sugar	23½	23⅝
Am. Sugar	129¼	129
Amer. T. & Tel.	128⅜	128½
Amer. Woolen	22½	22⅞
Anaconda Copper	40½	39⅞
Col. Fuel & Iron	31¾	31⅜
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	126⅛	126⅞
Distill. Secur.	34½	34⅛
Gen. Electric	154⅛	153
National Lead	73½	74
North American	79	79
Pacific Mail	32½	32½
Press Steel Car	32⅛	32⅞
Peoples Gas	110⅛	110⅝
Sloss. Sheet	71½	71¼
Tenn. Copper	37½	37⅛
U. S. Rubber	30	29
U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	102½	101
U. S. Steel	43⅝	44
U. S. Steel pf.	110	109⅞
Utah Copper	41	40⅝
West. Un. Tel.	65½	65⅞
West. El. & Mfg.	75	75½

Bank Clearings.

Money between banks was quoted at 2 per cent. New York funds sold at par.

Saturday:	1909.	1908.
Exchanges	$33,326,817	$21,832,944
Balances	2,202,688	2,226,313
Week—		
Exchanges	$139,318,063	$124,334,616
Balances	11,724,729	8,581,176
Month of February—		
Exchanges	$621,798,743	$524,133,454
Balances	43,528,347	32,650,392

Chicago Wheat.

	Opening to-day	Closing to-day	closing Yesterday
May	118¼	118⅝	118½
July	105¼	105⅜	105⅝
Sept.	99⅝	98½	99⅛

ABRAHAMS TO TALK.

"Why Labor Unions and Religious Organizations Should Come Together" will be the theme of Henry Abrahams before the members and friends of the Frances E. Willard Settlement House in Phillips Brooks Hall, No. 38 Chambers street, West End, to-morrow evening. A concert of sacred music will precede the lecture.

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LOCAL MARKET PRICES STRONG

The opening of the local market was strong with buying at prices well advanced by those who went short during the early part of the week, and wanted to cover at a profit.

The strength of Amalgamated was, on buying by arbitage brokers, many of whom had turned bullish over night. This with optimistic gossip brought the price to 68⅛ at the close which was an advance of 1⅛ points.

Copper Range soon showed signs of inside buying, for on small transactions the price advanced to 72¼, a gain of 3⅝. During the last hour blocks of stock were taken from the market, after the announcement of a quarterly dividend of $1 was declared. It is fifteen months since a $1 dividend was declared.

So-called Bigelow Calumet stocks were inactive though strong, Isle Royale, being the most active gained ⅞ of a point to 29⅞.

East Boston Land, which has been so strong for the last few days was well taken, though it closed with a loss of ⅜.

On the Curb, little trading was done and the market was irregular. Giroux Consolidated was the feature and closed at 8⅛ after selling up to 8 7-16.

Majestic was also strong and gained six points to 82 on constant buying.

Bay State Gas, Ohio, Copper and Davis Daly, were amongst those which also were strong.

BOSTON STOCKS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last Sale
BONDS.				
Central Vt. 4s	85	85	85	85
Am. T. & T. conv. 4s	95	95	94⅝	94⅞
Ill. Steel deb. 5s	100⅜	100⅜	100⅜	100⅜
Mass. Gas Rpts. 5s	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
RAILROADS.				
Atchison	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞	102⅞
Atchison pf.	102	102	102	102
Boston & Albany	230	230	230	230
Boston Elevated	128	128	128	128
Boston & Maine	135	135	135	135
N. Y., N. H. & H.	158	158⅛	158	158⅛
Union Pacific	174⅝	174⅝	174⅜	174½
TELEPHONES.				
American	128⅛	128⅜	128⅛	128⅛
Western Pref.	77½	77⅞	77½	77½
ELECTRIC COMPANIES.				
Edison Electric	252	253	252	253
Mass. Electric	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
MISCELLANEOUS.				
American Pneumatic	9½	9⅝	9	9½
Am. Pneumatic pref.	19½	19½	19½	19½
Mass. Gas	64⅝	65	64⅝	65
The Pullman Co.	169½	169½	169½	169½
United Fruit	128	128	127½	127½
United Shoe Mach.	64½	64	64	64
United Shoe Mach. pref	29	29	29	29
U. S. Steel	44½	44⅝	44⅛	44⅝
U. S. Steel pref.	110⅛	110⅛	110⅛	110⅛
UNLISTED SECURITIES.				
Amalgamated	68	68⅝	67⅝	68⅜
Am. Sugar	127⅛	127¼	127⅛	127¼
Am. Woolen pref.	99	99	99	99
Am. Zinc	24⅞	24	24	25½
Boston Con.	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
Boston & Corbin	18	18	18	18
East Butte	14⅛	14¼	14	14¼
Isle Royale	29	30	29	29⅞
Lake Copper	17⅛	17⅝	17⅛	17⅛
Miami Copper	14¼	14⅞	14⅛	14⅞
Superior & Boston	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
Superior & Pittsburg	15	15⅛	15	15⅛
Swift & Co.	102	102	101⅝	102
U. S. Smelting	39	40⅛	39	39⅞
U. S. Smelting pref.	44⅞	45	44⅞	45
Utah-Apex	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
MINING STOCKS.				
Adventure	8	8	8	8
Allouez	38⅞	40	39½	40
Arcadian	4⅝	5½	4½	5½
Arizona Commercial	31	32	31	31⅞
Atlantic	15⅞	16	15⅝	16
Butte Coalition	22	23⅛	22	23⅛
Calumet & Arizona	99	99⅞	99	99
Centennial	29	30	29	30
Copper Range	70	72½	70	72½
Franklin	13½	13⅝	13½	13⅝
Granby	94	94	94	94
Greene-Cananea	9⅞	10	9⅞	9⅞
La Salle Copper	15	15⅛	15	15
Michigan	10½	10½	10½	10½
Mohawk	60	61	59⅞	61
Nevada Con.	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
North Butte	69	70	69	70
Old Dominion	48	48⅛	48	48
Osceola	126	128½	125½	128
Parrot	27	27	27	27
Santa Fe	2	2⅛	2	2⅛
Shannon	13⅝	14	13⅝	14
Superior	43	43⅞	43	43
Tamarack	84	84	84	84
Trinity	12⅝	13	12⅝	13
Utah Con.	39	39	38½	38½
Utah Copper	41½	42	41½	41⅞
Winona	5½	5½	5½	5½
Wyandotte	2½	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
LAND COMPANIES.				
East Boston	9	9	8¾	8¾

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Acme Consolidated	7	8
Ahmeek	120	150
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Arizpe	80	85
Barnes King Mining	10	10½
Bay State Gas	65	67
Beaver Carbonate	1⅞	1⅞
Black Mount	1	—
Boston Ely	1½	1⅝
Boswyocolo	8	8½
Bullfrog Min. Syndicate	7	10
Butte & London	25	30
Chemung Mining	20	20½
Cobalt Central	45	47
Cumberland Ely	7⅝	7⅞
Davis Daly	3⅝	3⅞
Dominion Copper	10	12
Eagle & Blue Bell	75	100
First National Copper	7	7¼
Foster Cobalt	30	40
Geyser	7	9
Giroux Cons. Mines	8⅛	8¼
Globe Mining	5	5½
Goldfield Cons. Mines	8	8⅛
Gold King	80	90
Hancock	11½	12
Hassayampa	16	18
Helvetia	3⅛	3⅜
Laramie H. Peak & P&c.	81	85
La Rose	6½	6 7-16
Majestic Copper	80	82
Massachusetts Breweries	42	44
McKinley Darragh Cobalt	90	92
Micmac Gold	1	1½
Nat. Mining Exploration	50	62
Nevada-Utah	2 13-16	2⅞
Nipissing	9⅝	9¾
Ontway	12½	13½
Raven Mining	42	43
Santa Ysabel	6	8
Shawmut Consolidated	6	8
Silver Leaf Cobalt	14	14½
Silver Queen	62	64
Tonapah	6	6¼
Union Copper	1	1⅛
United Zinc	1	1¼
United Zinc pref	15	17
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Ohio Copper	6⅝	6¾
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300 do. ... 7⅞
150 do. ... 8
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135 do. ... 8⅜
100 do. ... 8 7-16
25 Gold. Cons. 8⅛
150 do. ... 8 3-16
20 do. ... 8⅛
300 do. ... 8
330 do. ... 8 1-16
100 Globe ... 5⅛
10 do. ... 5⅛
25 La Rose ... 6¼
450 Majestic ... 80c
20 do. ... 78c
200 do. ... 80c
100 do. ... 81c
700 do. ... 80c
100 do. ... 81c
500 N.M. & Ex. 61c
100 do. ... 60c
400 do. ... 59c
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25 do. ... 2⅞
150 do. ... 2 13-16
10 do. ... 2⅞
50 do. ... 2⅞
65 Ohio Copper 6⅝
10 do. ... 6 9-16
50 do. ... 6⅝
40 do. ... 6 9-16
750 do. ... 6⅝
100 Raven ... 44c
200 Silver Queen 63c
20 do. ... 61c
100 Vulture ... 6⅛
10 do. ... 6¼
30 do. ... 6⅛
5 Yukon Gold .. 4⅜

Sales from 11:00 to 11:45 a. m.

5 A.G. & W.I. .. 5⅛
100 Boston Ely 1 7-16
100 do. ... 1½
300 Bay S. Gas. 67c
500 do b 30 ... 72c
2300 do. ... 69c
80 Cor. Cop. Co 6⅜
100 do. ... 6⅜
20 do. ... 6¼
100 Cumb. Ely. .. 7⅝
124 do. ... 7 13-16
50 do. ... 7¾
25 do. ... 7⅝
500 Dom. Copper 12c
750 Davis-Daly ... 3⅝
75 First. N.C. 6 13-16
10 Gold. Cons. .. 8⅛
500 Giroux ... 8 5-16
500 Majestic ... 81c
650 do. ... 82c
50 McK.-Dar ... 90c
25 do. ... 92c
1000 N.M. & Ex. 59c
100 do. ... 60c
20 Nev. Utah ... 2⅞
50 Ohio Cop. ... 6 9-16
50 Raven ... 41c
20 do. ... 42c
50 Silver Queen. 62c

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WALL ST. NEWS FOR INVESTORS

WALL STREET, New York, Feb. 27.—Decision of the Supreme Court on the Hepburn law is the one event of the future that Wall street dreads. This decision may be handed down any day, and it is confidently expected the first of next week. Persons who are close to the Standard Oil insist that they know it will be in favor of the government, and they are liquidating Reading. These same men have been liquidating Amalgamated Copper, or, at least, they were doing so until the bid was reported yesterday for the 60,000,000 pounds.

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One of the largest consumers of iron and steel in the West asked the United States Steel Corporation to make a price on a considerable line of miscellaneous products. The company made quotations a little below the figures that prevailed three weeks ago. Before placing the order the Western manufacturer prudently made inquiries at the offices of three independent companies. The "outsiders" made exactly the same prices as those of the Steel Corporation. This is what he had expected, and indeed what every observer might have anticipated. The "war" becomes more clearly a hippodrome as it is investigated. Prices are lower, but they are quite as unanimous as before.

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Gradually the public, as well as the financial community, has become convinced that the belligerency between the Steel Corporation and its competitors is a thing voluntary, and not involuntary, and as the conviction widens securities are quite sure to work back to their former place.

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There is believed to be a considerable short interest in the market, which might be induced to cover on rising prices. As an offset to this, a good many stocks bought earlier in the week to arrest the decline might be for sale on any further sustained advance. That is generally the sequel of "banking support."

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Sentiment is generally bearish still on the metal stocks, particularly Amalgamated Copper; it is possibly a little too bearish. Amalgamated Copper may still seem high around 65, but it is twenty points lower than it was a few weeks ago, and its speculative record is not worth any less. Its speculative record is a more important asset than the layman could easily believe.

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A pool is working in Brooklyn Rapid Transit, with the idea of making it reflect in its price the 4 per cent. dividend. Fancy prices are talked of for the issue, but it must be remembered that the crooked stock market work that has been done so often in this issue has hurt it severely and robbed any movement of faithful followers. There are thousands of persons holding this stock, which cost them just a little bit more than the present market price, so that any pool will find it has to take stock freely on the advance. One rumor yesterday was that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company would take control of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit openly. It is already understood to own a very heavy interest.

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Tennessee Copper is one of the specialties to make a new low record for this movement. The antics of this stock have very justly earned it the enmity of all Wall Street. It acquired some friends about two months ago on semi-official announcement that J. P. Morgan & Co. had agreed to finance the acid deal, but the confirmation of this has never been obtained, and the stock is reflecting lack of public confidence.

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The handling of the Harriman stocks during the last fortnight has given rise to a great deal of favorable comment. Both Union Pacific and Southern Pacific have been well supported in a way most calculated to appeal favorably to experienced speculators. No attempt was made to "peg" them, or to hold them against the tide; but they were both well bought on a scale-down, and the effect of such buying has been shown in the resiliency of both issues, when the general market has rallied. When a stock is held by sheer force against a decline in the general market, the chances are that it will not advance much when the market turns, and that is why nobody ever likes to see a stock "pegged." The Harriman issues have shared in the decline, but they have not led it.

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So violent a readjustment of prices to technical market conditions is commonly followed by some days of flighty price movements. After the general liquidation has run its course special liquidation will continue to appear in certain stocks or in groups. That is now expected, even by such as believe that the full force of the original selling movement has been felt.

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One of the most encouraging points about the stock market is that for two days it has been able to take a detached view of the continued decline of Amalgamated Copper. That stock appears to have been without influence upon the general list.

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More or less stagnation has entered into the money market lately. The former condition of easiness has been accentuated by the present state of the stock market to which money market conditions appear to be placed in the background. The return of government deposits fell as heavily upon one day as they have done in a long while, yet they failed to have any effect on the market. Call money is supplying all the current demands from brokerage houses and the demands from other sources are exceedingly light.

LABOR

Alderman Matthew Hale addressed the Joint Council of City Men's Unions on the proposed old age annuity and pension bill now before the Legislature. The bill has not only been taken up by the Joint Council, but was unanimously endorsed at the convention of the Federation of State, City and Town Employes' Unions, held in Fall River three weeks ago.

President Edward F. Connelly of the Council and President Michael F. O'Brien of the Federation were appointed to act as a committee to confer with others who may have similar bills to introduce.

Alderman James P. Timilty, who for years served the Joint Council of City Men's Unions as its president, was presented a handsome diamond studded Eagle's watch charm.

A special meeting of the council will be held next Friday night at No. 987 Washington street.

Labor Notes.

Boston Pattern Makers' Association bowls a match game with a team from Providence Association to-night for the championship of New England.

Stonemasons No. 9 have elected John C. Collins and Patrick J. Walsh as delegates to the State conference of Bricklayers and Masons, which will be held March 8 at Springfield.

Boston Building Trades Section has elected President John J. McLaughlin to represent it at a meeting of the executive board of the Building Trades Department of the American Federation of Labor, which will meet March 8 at Washington, D. C. Announcement was made of working agreements having been signed by the United Association of Plumbers and the International Association of Steam Fitters and by the Building Laborers and Cement and Asphalt Workers.

Waiters No. 80 have voted $20 to assist the striking hatters, and in addition an assessment of five cents per week. John J. Carney, Joseph Laycock and Joseph Lunny were elected a committee to collect the assessment.

Organizer Joseph Laycock announces that the new charter for the Boston Local Union of Colored Cooks and Waiters has been received. The new local number will be No. 226. The old number was No. 184. The charter list will not close for forty-five days. The election of permanent officers will follow the closing of the charter list. A special meeting to receive charter members will be held to-night at No. 440 Tremont street.

The joint convention committee of Bricklayers No. 3 and No. 2 and Stonemasons No. 9 holds a special meeting this afternoon at No. 380 Harrison avenue.

INDEPENDENT REAL ESTATE DEALS TO-DAY

A number of valuable properties figured in the report of the sales of real estate to-day.

The large plant on the corner of Howard and Gerard streets, Roxbury, occupied by the Hygeia Ice Company, has been sold by Amanda E. Glatfelter et al. to the Boston Ice Company. It comprises a two-story brick building and 21,500 square feet of land, all assessed for $68,000, of which $15,000 is on the land. The same purchaser has also bought from the same grantors the vacant plot of land on Howard street, situated near the ice plant, consisting of 12,640 square feet of land, taxed on a valuation of $3,700.

This sale is one of the largest that has taken place in Roxbury for a long time. The Boston Ice Company will use it for a station, following its absorption of the Hygeia Company.

South End Transfers.

Several important transfers have taken place in South End property. One of these is the sale of the eight three-story brick houses and 11,081 square feet of land at Nos. 18-20 Reed street and Nos. 1-5 Reed terrace, all taxed on a valuation of $33,600, of which $9,900 is on the land. Marks S. Kirsten conveys to Tillie Kiebenov.

In the same district the property at No. 354 Harrison avenue, near Rochester street, consisting of a four-story and basement brick building and 927 square feet of land, has been sold by Fannie Slotopolsky to Max Pearlman. It is assessed for $10,600 of which $4,400 is on the land.

Another parcel in the same section of the city to change ownership is the property at No. 129 Lenox street, near Tremont street, comprising a four-story brick building and 2,100 square feet of land, all taxed on a valuation of $10,500, of which $2,500 is on the land. Ida D. Kitses conveys to Bessie Schneiderman.

Land for New Cemetery.

The property at No. 48 Clarendon street, at the corner of No. 10 Appleton street, has been sold by Philip J. Jaeger to Josephine E. Cotter. It includes a three-story brick building and 1,040 square feet of land, all assessed for $11,500; $4,700 on the land.

In West Roxbury the frame house and 3,398 square feet of land at No. 9 Oakview terrace, formerly Boylston terrace, have been sold by Philip J. Jaeger to Josephine E. Cotter. It is all assessed for $6,200, of which $1,200 is on the land.

In West Roxbury a plot of vacant land, containing 287,617 square feet of land, on Grove street, near the Hyde Park line, has been sold by Bridget Tracy to the Congregation Adath Jeshurum for a cemetery. It is assessed for $1,400.

The Chapin Farms Agency has sold for the owner, A. W. Mitchell, the old Mitchell house on Main street, Brookfield. It is two stories high, surrounded with old elms, a barn and outbuildings, together with 21,000 feet of land, which Mr. Mitchell sells as he has recently purchased a large farm adjoining the home place. The estate was sold to E. C. Lawrence, who has already taken possession and will make extensive improvements for a summer home. The price paid is not made public.

The following transfers were taken from the files of the Boston Real Estate Exchange:

References: Q., quitclaim; W., warranty; D., deeds; M., mortgages; R., releases.

BOSTON, CITY PROPER.

Fannie Slotopolsky to Max Pearlman, Harrison avenue, $4,000, W.

Philip J. Jaeger to Josephine E. Cotter, Boylston Terrace, West Roxbury, Clarendon and Appleton streets, $1, W.

Henry O. Weston Estate to Evelyn O. Weston, Beacon street, $1, R.

Elbridge G. Davis to Henry Gurta, Compton street, $1, Q.

Marks S. Kirsten to Tillie Kiebenov, Reed street and Reed Terrace, $1, Q.

Marks S. Kirsten to Tillie Kiebenov, Woodbury street, Woodbury street and Derby place, $1, Q.

Ida D. Kitses to Bessie Schneiderman, Lenox street, $1, Q.

EAST BOSTON.

Catherine M. Sullivan et al to Mendel Fader, Chelsea street, $1, Q.

Franklin Savings Bank, mortgagee, to Franklin Savings Bank, Marginal street, $1,500, D.

Harry H. Spalding, guardian, to Charles West, Putnam street, $2,250, R.

Joseph Goldinger to Sarah Cohen, Paris street, $1, Q.

Francis A. Griffin to James J. Cobb, E. Eagle street, 2 pieces, Lexington street, $1, Q.

ROXBURY.

Sarah Meltzer to Gertrude Heller, Haskins street, $1, W.

David Baer to Thomas M. Smith, Highland street, four lots, $1, W.

Amanda E. Glatfelter et al to Boston Ice Company, Howard street, Howard and Gerard streets, $1, Q.

DORCHESTER.

Ellen A. Sullivan to Daniel J. Sullivan, Edwin street, $1, W.

Frank Wood to Warner Demond, Welles avenue, $1, Q.

Warner Demond to Lillian H. Wood, Welles avenue, $1, Q.

Barret Davidson to Mary E. MacDonough, North avenue, $1, Q.

Mary E. MacDonough to Bessie Davidson, North avenue, $1, Q.

Isaac Frank, mortgagee, to Etta Tirk, Marshfield street, $1,600, D.

Etta Tirk to Samuel I. Kaplan, et al. Marshfield street, $1, Q.

Joseph R. Churchill, mortgagee, to Joseph R. Churchill, Halifax avenue, $250, D.

WEST ROXBURY.

John A. Morrison, et al, to Margaret F. Ferson, Ashland avenue, $1, W.

Bridget Tracy to Congregation Adath Jeshurun, Grove street, $1, W.

George M. Amerige to Mary McPherson, Adelaide street and Spring Park avenue, $1, Q.

BRIGHTON.

Theodore B. Munroe to Norman C. Bruce, Hunnewell avenue, $1, W.

Florence M. Cushing et al. to Annie Buckley, Market street, $1, Q.

George F. Blake et al. to Harry E. Hasty, Brighton avenue, $1, Rel.

CHARLESTOWN.

Henrietta L. Day to Trinity Society of Methodist Episcopal Church (trustees of church), Wood street, $1, Q.

CHELSEA.

William S. Rixon to William D. Davidson, Bellingham avenue, $1, W.

Annie J. Collins to Mary Doclex, Broadway, $1, W.

Mary L. Roberts et. al. to Mary A. Daniels, Lynn street, $1, W.

Mary A. Daniels to Mary L. Roberts, Lynn street, $1, W.

Joseph Simons and wife to Helen I. Haggerty, Arlington and Ash street, $1, Q.

NO RATE WAR, SAYS TUTTLE

"There is no rate war, and we don't know what the newspapers mean when they say that a rate war exists," was the declaration of President Lucius Tuttle of the Boston & Maine railroad, when asked if it was true that a move had been made to end the present rate war.

He said his road had simply met the import rates established at Baltimore. The only class of freight affected by this action, according to the president of the Boston & Maine, is import freight, and this, he said, is an infinitesimal part of the freight carried by the trunk lines. Domestic freight rates are not involved.

MRS. CROKER MAY AID SUFFRAGETTES

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Richard Croker, wife of the former leader of Tammany Hall, passed through Philadelphia to-day on her way to New York, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Ethel. Mrs. Croker announced that she was willing to join the ranks of the suffragettes if she can be convinced that their principles are worth taking up. However, her daughter is dead against it. Mrs. Croker was reticent on the subject of reconciliation with her husband, but denied that they would be brought together again.

MAYOR DECLARES LYNN HOSPITAL HEADS MUST BE REMOVED AT ONCE

Mayor James E. Rich of Lynn said this afternoon that the Lynn Board of Health will remove the heads of Lynn Contagious Hospital without any further suggestions from him, in view of the sweeping charges of neglect and mistreatment of patients and gross discourtesy toward relatives of patients made against the hospital officials.

"I am satisfied," said the Mayor, "that there is plenty of truth in the charges contained in the affidavits filed with me by Miss Grace W. Gregg, head resident of Lynn Neighborhood House.

"I presume that, in view of these changes the Board of Health will at once remove the heads of the contagious hospital.

"I expect this to be done without any suggestion from me.

"Removal Is Warranted."

"There is enough of these charges to warrant the removal of the hospital officials and a complet change in the management.

"I, myself, am going into the charges very thoroughly. While I cannot say now that I shall order a public investigation, these charges will be heard from.

"I am now waiting for the officials of the Board of Health to act."

The Lynn Board of Health has immediate jurisdiction over the contagious hospital under the law. The board is refraining from saying anything pending its own investigation into the case.

Mrs. Anna Chase and the Lynn Contagious Hospital of which she has been head nurse for thirteen years.

Chairman William Cowan of the Board of Health says briefly:

"We shall not make any statement till we have reviewed the charges.

Miss Grace W. Gregg, head resident of Lynn Neighborhood House, prepared to-day additional affidavits to be submitted to Mayor Rich.

"These affidavits," said Miss Gregg today, "will further emphasize the woeful need of wiping out the entire present staff of the hospital."

Investigation to-day of the case of little Helen Taylor, who was spoken of in an affidavit made by Miss Margaret McFarlane, formerly of Neighborhood House in Lynn, shows that the Taylor girl died at her home some time last May. She was in the hospital that same month. Her death at home followed soon after her leaving the hospital. Whether her death was in any way the result of neglect when she was in the hospital is a matter which will form an important part of the present investigation.

Among the affidavits already presented to Mayor Rich is one of Miss Annie O'Brien, who died on February 1, 1909, after continuous suffering from the time she left the hospital.

Miss O'Brien declared in her affidavit that she was unattended at night, that she had to go alone to the toilet even when she could hardly stagger along and that she came out of the hospital a wreck.

Miss Grace W. Gregg, head resident of the Neighborhood House in Lynn, founded that institution when she came from Chicago to Lynn two years ago. She has devoted the last twenty years of her life to welfare work. She is about fifty-five years old and has the thorough confidence and respect of the society people who are back of Lynn Neighborhood House. She is a smart-appearing, alert, energetic woman.

Scores Matron's Neglect.

Miss Gregg said to-day:

"I am preparing other affidavits showing the mistreatment and neglect of a patient at Lynn Contagious Hospital.

"These affidavits will further emphasize the woeful need of wiping out the entire present staff of the hospital.

"The conduct of Mrs. Anna Chase, the matron of the contagious hospital, as well as that of Superintendent James T. Beavins, is unforgiveable. I can see no reason why their instant removal should not be ordered by Mayor Rich.

"They are the ones who are responsible. It is on their shoulders that the odium of these affidavits rests.

"I have made no specific charges against any of the nurses. One cannot expect a man or woman nurse to work both day and night. But that those in charge of the hospital should have provided no night service for the sick and dying inmates is sufficient reason in my mind to show their unfitness for their positions.

"It is up to the tax-payers and citizens of Lynn, who are always in danger of having their children taken to the contagious hospital, to take steps leading to the removal of these officials who have been so much at fault and who are responsible for the neglect meted out to the poor unfortunate patients.

Reprimanded for Inquiries.

"One of the affidavits I am now preparing for Mayor Rich is that of a working girl in Lynn who, before she went to work in a shoe factory in the morning would call the Contagious Hospital on the telephone to enquire about her sick sister, who was suffering with diphtheria.

"One morning this working girl was severely reprimanded on the telephone by Mrs. Chase, the matron, for calling the hospital at such an early hour in the morning.

"When the girl told the matron she was a working girl and had to get to work at 7 o'clock, she was told that this made no difference and that she could get the information only by calling the hospital after 9 a. m.

"When the poor girl did call the hospital later that day she found that her sister was dead."

Miss Greggs added that this and other affidavits would show a gross lack of courteous treatment by the hospital officials to relatives of patients, particularly to parents of poor children who were inmates of the hospital.

"I have nothing personal in this," concluded Miss Greggs, "but it is time that a new force was put in at the hospital to give some protection to patients and some assurance to relatives of patients."

Dying Patients Deserted.

Other affidavits have been presented to Mayor Rich in which the deponents swear:

That dying patients are left to take care of themselves.

That a girl of ten, who subsequently died, was inhumanly treated.

That a woman patient was forced to dress herself and walk to an ambulance, at peril to her life, when she was almost incapable of standing alone.

PATIENTS LEFT IN AGONY PLEADED IN VAIN FOR AID

Miss Margaret McFarlane, a Lynn girl, who went to the hospital last May suffering from scarlet fever, made an affidavit, saying:

"There was a little girl named Helen Taylor, about ten years old, in the ward, who fell out of bed nights and screamed so as to keep all the others awake. She would scream for a nurse at night. None would come, and she would then try to go to the bathroom herself, reeling from side to side of the room and sometimes falling against the radiator heavily enough to almost crack her skull.

"She was partly delirious and utterly unable to walk straight or care for herself, and several times I got up in the night when her bed was next to mine and placed her back in her own bed. She was moved out into the hall between the two buildings one or two nights before she died.

"They never gave her any medicine that I saw when she was next to me, and when she screamed they said she was an 'ugly little thing,' when they ought to have known it was because she was sick."

FOUR GENERATIONS CELEBRATE WEDDING

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—An unusual wedding was that of Mrs. Katherine Alpaugh, sixty-five years old, of Cokesburry, N. J., to Frederick Lindeberry, which occurred at the home of the bride's granddaughter, Mrs. Bertram Davis, in North Plainfield.

Mr. Lindeberry is sixty-two years old and lives at Highbridge. Among the wedding guests was the bride's great granddaughter.

There were four generations present at the wedding, the bride, the bride's daughter, Mrs. Teets; her granddaughter, Mrs. Davis, and her great granddaughter, Gladys Davis.

CRETIC NOT DAMAGED BY CRASH ON ROCKS

In order to satisfy the White Star officials that the big liner was seaworthy in every respect, the Cretic, that grounded twice while entering the harbor Tuesday night, was floated into the dry dock at the Charlestown Navy Yard.

Her bottom was given an examination by R. S. Murphy, Lloyd's surveyor, and officials of the White Star Company.

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QUAKE RAZES WALLS LEFT IN STRICKEN CITY

NAPLES, Feb. 27.—Another violent earthquake was reported to-day from Palmi, Calabria. Many of the walls remaining standing from the terrific quake of December 28, when 10,000 of Palmi's inhabitants were killed, were shaken down in to-day's shock, but no fatalities have been reported. The quake is said to have been the hardest since that of December 28.

HAVANA, Feb. 27.—An earthquake which may have shaken Central America was registered in the government observatory here to-day. The seismographist began to register at 11:21 o'clock this morning, and the disturbance continued intermittently for forty minutes. The undulation seemed from the east-northeast to west-southwest, and the area affected to be distant about 1,700 miles.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Seismologist Milne's instruments recorded a vast earthquake of the greatest intensity, at 5:36 p. m. He calculates that the disturbance was at least 5,000 miles distant. It may have been somewhere in the Pacific Ocean.

THOUGHT DEAD, FIND BRIDE OF BOGUS LORD

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 27.—Mourned as dead ever since soon after her unfortunate marriage at New Iberia, La., on December 16, 1905, to John C. Cavendish, who poses as "Lord Percy Reginald Sholto Douglas," said to be the most notorious bigamist in the United States, Miss Josephine Hood, the Asheville, N. C., society girl, has been discovered at Tecumcari, New Mexico, only to be lost again by the voluntary act of the young woman. Too proud to face her friends she again disappeared.

A reward offered by the Governor of North Carolina for the arrest of Cavendish finally resulted in the arrest of the real Lord Douglas at his Summer home on the coast of Maine.

STUDENTS JEER CARRIE NATION

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Carrie Nation has returned to London not a little chagrined at her reception and entertainment when she addressed the students at Cambridge. Mrs. Nation's fame had evidently gone before her for, when she appeared upon the lecture platform before the upper forms at Caius she was cheered to an echo and the undergraduates immediately set up a drinking song, the chorus of which runs:

"Drink, puppy, drink."

Mrs. Nation, in addition to a large umbrella, carried a small hammer. This she waved to give emphasis to her remarks when she shouted: "Drink is filling the jails and asylums of England, and I am here to stop it."

For a time Mrs. Nation was unable to make herself heard above the din. Then her voice came strong at: "Shun the music halls; I have been in them."

"Too bad! Shocking! Oh, dear!" chorused the students. Then she shouted some more. Order was finally restored, but Mrs. Nation departed, doubtlessly thinking that the students of Cambridge were doomed beyond hope.

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HUNTINGTON UPRIGHT .. $60
STEINHART UPRIGHT .. $87
VOSE UPRIGHT .. $62
WM. BOURNE .. $60
WEBBER UPRIGHT .. $80
CHICKERING UPRIGHT .. $57
EMERSON UPRIGHT .. $55
EVERETT UPRIGHT .. $65
MERRILL UPRIGHT .. $90
STEINWAY UPRIGHT .. $75
SOHMER UPRIGHT .. $101
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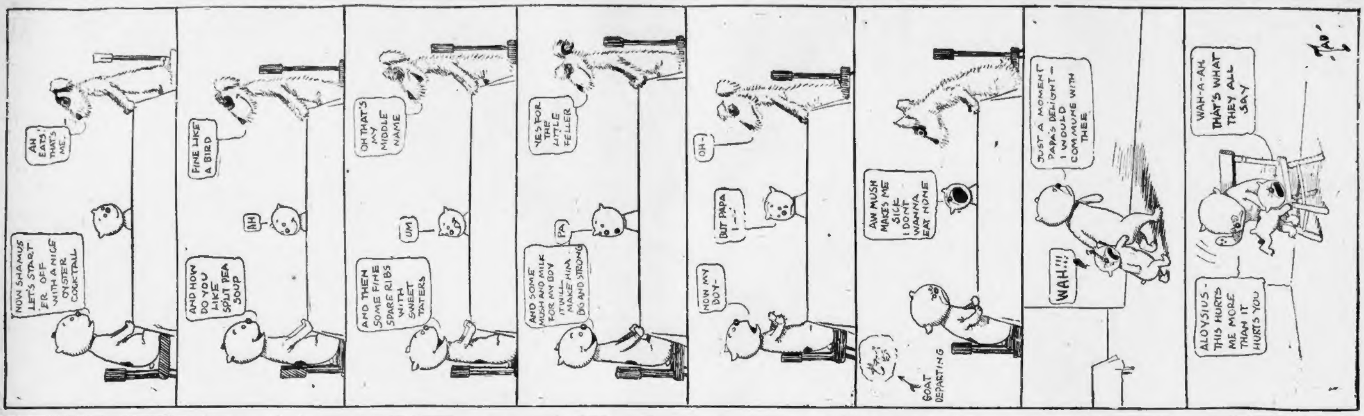
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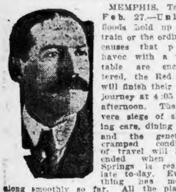
RED SOX REACH END OF LONG TRIP TODAY

BY BERT MITCHELL.



MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 27.—Unless floods hold up the train or the ordinary causes that play havoc with a time table are encountered, the Red Sox will finish their long journey at 4:05 this afternoon. The severe siege of sleeping cars, dining cars and the generally cramped condition of travel will have ended when Hot Springs is reached late to-day. Everything has moved along smoothly so far. All the players scheduled to make the trip from the North and East are present or accounted for except "Hack" Spencer. Manager Lake expects to receive some word from the bulky catcher when he reaches training quarters. Doc Gessler has explained his failure to joint the squad. He will be on deck next Wednesday.

The party on the train to-day includes Pitchers Cicotte, Morgan, Steele, Barger and Ehman; Catchers Donahue, Carrigan and Madden; Infielders Lord, McConnell, Wagner, Niles and French; Outfielders Thoney, Manager Lake, Secretary Riley, Trainer Green and eight newspaper men.

Of these Morgan, Donahue, Cicotte, Niles, Thoney, French and Ehman joined the bunch at Cincinnati. The newcomers had to be satisfied with upper berths, as the choice lowers were grabbed by those who started from New York last Thursday.

New Pitcher Looks Good.

On looks alone Pitcher "Buff" Ehman has made a great hit with Manager Lake. He is a finely built young man, standing six feet two and one-half inches in his socks and tipping the beam at 196 pounds. He looks as clean as a hound's tooth and is as hard as nails physically.

"I have been putting in the Winter months in a blacksmith's shop," said "Buff" to his Manager, "and I feel fine."

"Did you bring a uniform with you?" asked Lake, sizing up the slab artist from head to toe.

"Well, I brought everything except shirt, pants and cap," answered the big fellow.

"I'm afraid you will be up against it, then," said Lake. "We didn't bring any suits that will fit you but we will rig you out somehow."

Ehman was tried out by the Cleveland Club two years ago, but while training at Macon he was attacked by malaria and was sent back to the minors to recover.

Charles French, the new candidate for an infield position, is a second McConnell in size, perhaps a trifle larger. Those who have seen him play say he is greased lightning. He is twenty-three years old and weighs 150 pounds. A more rugged specimen of a ball player has not joined the Boston team in many moons. He looks as game as a fighting cock and is full of energy.

Thoney In Good Trim.

Jack Thoney was the last man to show up at Cincinnati and he arrived just before the train pulled out. Lake heaved a sigh of relief when The Bullet reported.

"How's your wing, Jack?" was the first question the Manager fired at the speedy outfielder.

"I think it is all right, it feels all O. K. I have given it a good rest this Winter, taking only exercise enough to keep the muscles pliable."

"What caused that trouble anyway," asked Lake.

"Year before last when I was playing in Toronto I was on first and they gave me the signal to steal. The other fellows knew I was going down and the pitcher kept me hugging first base. Finally I took too big a lead and they caught me napping. I tried to get back but I was too close to the bag to slide so I jumped head first. I landed on my right shoulder and dislocated something. Last Spring in Philadelphia one of the players told me to let out and that would cure me. I did let out on a ball that hit the centre field fence and the pain was so great I had to lean up against the fence to keep from fainting."

"I want you to go very slow at Hot Springs," said Lake. "Don't take any chances with that arm. We will need it when the season opens."

Watch for Blackbirds.

Everybody kept their eyes glued to the car windows to-day looking for black birds. Clarke Griffith, manager of the Cincinnati club, started the trouble. The players called on the leader of the Reds yesterday and in the course of conversation the "Old Fox" said:

"You fellows will see two things tomorrow you never saw before. One is a railroad running through miles and miles of water and the other is blackbirds."

"Blackbirds?" exclaimed the players.

"Yes, blackbirds. Not two blackbirds, but millions of them. Just this time last year I went down to Hot Springs and I saw a flock of blackbirds two miles long and three miles wide. They were so thick that when they got in range with the sun, the day grew as dark as night." And that's why the Red Sox are keeping their eyes peeled for blackbirds to-day.

BALL PLAYER HAS NEW KICK

WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 27.—It remained for "Long John" Anderson of the Chicago White Sox who lives in Worcester, to threaten to quit baseball with a brand new kick. He likes the team, the manager and owner and has no kick coming on the salary question. He doesn't want to be transferred, but John kicks on stuffy, over-heated berths on cars. In spite of the detailed accounts of the train of Pullmans on which the White Sox will travel to the training grounds he announced to-day he would not join the team because he is averse to getting his rest in a sleeper.

Not only will he fail to show up when the team starts, but he indicates that he has accumulated a competence of such size that combined with the income from his real estate he will do very nicely without ever playing ball again. It sure is a novel grouch to quit the diamond for.

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10 MILE EVENT FOR AMATEURS

On April 3, the North Dorchester A. A., a club which has come to the front recently will hold an open 10-mile cross country run and the event will be sanctioned by the N. E. A. A. A. U.

The course has already been laid out and is an ideal one. This fact will surely make the record for ten miles in danger. The start will be made at the junction of Bird street and Columbia road, the runners will then go in a straight line up Columbia road to Blue Hill avenue, down Blue Hill avenue to Mattapan square, then in a straight line to the boulevard to the five-mile mark and return. Six prizes will be given to the first six runners to finish. Entries close March 24, with E. A. Harris, clubroom, No. 121 Clifton street, Dorchester, Mass.

MAHMOUT FAILS TO THROW BEELL

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Yusuff Mahmout, the Turkish wrestler, who is scheduled to meet Frank Gotch for the world's championship in the Spring, lost a handicap match to Fred Beell. Mahmout agreed to throw Beell in three minutes, but failed.

NAVAL RESERVES TO PLAY BASKETBALL

ATTLEBORO, Feb. 27.—Arrangements were made to-day for a series of three basketball games between Attleboro and the Newport Naval Reserves for the championship of New England. The first game will be played about the middle of March.

AMATEUR BASEBALL GAMES.

The baseball season will soon be here and now is the time for managers of amateur clubs to arrange their schedules through the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. Give name of team, average age and names of players. Address Amateur Baseball Club Editor, Boston Sunday American. Write on one side of the paper only.

YALE TRACK TEAM LOSES FIVE STARS

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 27.—Five prominent members of the Yale track team have fallen behind in their studies, and it is now certain that they will be ineligible to compete in any of the meets of the season. These are: Theodore Williams, Brooklyn, high jumper; Leslie Snyder, Dayton, O., quarter mile; Chester Bleistein, Buffalo, sprinter; Eugene Osborn, Montclair, N. J., pole vault, and Wooster Canfield, Seymour, Ct.

Bleistein captained the freshman track team last year, and all five were stars of the 1911 team. All are now ranked as members of the present freshman class, and it is thought to be impossible for them to regain their membership in the sophomore class, which is necessary if they are to compete this year.

Williams is a member of the academic department, but all the others are enrolled in the Sheffield Scientific School.

SPECIAL TRAIN FOR WHITE SOX

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Comiskey's coast-bound athletics, travelling in a special train, left the Wells street depot on their second annual training junket in sunny California.

The train equipment included composite buffet smoking and library car, an electric lighted diner, four Pullman drawingroom sleepers and the observation car. The reading room was stocked up with all the latest books and periodicals and desks were provided with writing materials for the army of correspondents.

The party numbered seventy-five, including twenty-six players, their wives and friends of President Comiskey.

This will be the only baseball club in the country to use a special train to carry it to its training camp. The train has a complete turkish bath, which will aid the players in getting into condition on the trip. Stock quotations and other news will be supplied the travelers.

PACING STARS IN BIG MATCH

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Feb. 27.—Dick Wilson, the noted trainer and driver of Grand Circuit fame, is carrying a chip on his shoulder of very large dimensions, hurling the following challenge broadcast to all owners and managers of fast pacers:

He is willing to match Hedgewood Boy, 2:02¼, against any pacer living for either a two-in-three or three-in-five race, for any amount of money from a Jew's harp to $10,000, and supplements this with a proposition to match the pair, Hedgewood Boy and Lady Maud C., 2:04½, against any team of pacers for a team race—Dan Patch and Minor Heir preferred.

What the chestnuts will do in a team race is, of course, unknown, but they have probably been worked together more than any extreme speed pair that could be put together, which would be in their favor.

Lady Maud C., with the balance of the Wilson string, will be taken to Indianapolis as soon as the Spring training season opens, while Hedgewood Boy will remain at Rushville until his stud season is completed, after which they are expected to appear in specials, one against the other.

FAST PACER FOR "MAC."

JOHNSTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 27.—George A. Taylor will soon send to Lon McDonald, at Memphis, to be prepared to race, his fast green pacing stallion, Billy Andrews, Jr. Mr. Taylor looks upon him as good enough to get ready for a trip down the Grand Circuit, and that, as every horseman knows, means that he must be able to beat 2:07.

John L. Sullivan's Column

While Jack Johnson is on the ocean the opportunity has been presented for discussing what his next fight will be. As no wireless messages have come in from the liner on the Pacific, the chance for guessing what the plans of Tommy Burns's conqueror have increased, but I think that I can hit the nail on the head by saying he won't do much ring skipping while in America unless it is on the stage in theatrical trade.

After a chat with Joe Woodman, manager of Sam Langford before he left the coast, I am convinced that Johnson intends to fulfill his engagement at the National Sporting Club in a match with Langford which he tied up before he went to Australia.

Said Woodman: "I have heard from Bettison, matchmaker of the London Sporting Club, and he says that Johnson will surely be on hand to meet Langford in May. In regard to the purse offered for the match between Langford and Johnson there has been some discussion that the sum for the Owen Moran-Jem Driscoll bout will be larger, but I don't believe there is much truth in it. I know what Langford's share will be and if Johnson is getting anything in proportion the total purse will not be greater than that made for any other bout.

"And this match will be for the heavyweight championship. It will be advertised as such and I shall insist on straight Queensberry rules prevailing. There will be no scoring marks to decide the match. Why, on that basis, Johnson might be able to run up a sufficient score of marks which would gain him the decision before the twenty rounds were over and spoil all chances of Langford getting in a knockout in the final rounds."

Running across Billy Stift in Chicago brought to my mind the time he and Kid McCoy fought down in St. Louis about ten years ago.

Billy had a tale of woe just before the fight took place, and told McCoy that he had to attend a funeral of a dear relative immediately after the bout, and for that reason he did not want to get scarred up any, as various sombre decorations on his visage or dislocated ears might be out of place. He agreed to let the Kid down easy if he would go through in the proper way, and McCoy was perfectly willing to do Billy a good turn when it offered.

They hadn't been in the ring for many minutes when Stift began using the strong arm, which was quite evident to the Kid that there was something wrong with the dope and in the fourteenth round the Kid saw an opening, and like a flash his right shot out and caught Billy flush on the chin. Billy simply grew rigid from the shock and fell his length. No crumbling or wobbling. His head struck the floor first and it took several minutes to bring him around. The Kid, in his usual cold-blooded way, walked to his corner wearing that enigmatical smile.

HORSE NEWS TRACK GOSSIP

Berta Mac, 2:08, joins the Billings saddle trotters.

Nancy Allen (2:10¼) is now the property of H. H. Avery, Yonkers, N. Y.

The dam of Locust Jack, 2:06¾, is in foal to Ed Winter, 2:12¾.

Dick McMahan gets the much-touted Aerolite, 3, 2:11¼, and California's star pacing mare, Mona Wilkes, 2:03¼.

Carpet, 2:28, dam of General Watts, 3, 2:06¾, will be bred this season to Washington McKinley, 2:17½.

General C. C. Watts has added May Aleodt, 2:12¼, dam of Miss Adrian, 2:09¼, to the harem of General Watts, 3, 2:06¾.

F. B. Hall of Washington, D. C., will race in the half-mile free-for-all pacing classes this season the bay gelding Charley Hal (2:06¼).

The new grandstand for the North Randall (Cleveland) track will be a steel and concrete structure with a seating capacity of 3,250. It will cost $40,000.

Of the 120 trotters having records in 2:08 and faster, 35 were bred in Kentucky, 21 in California, 15 in New York, 7 in Massachusetts, 6 in Illinois, etc.

The three-year-old bay colt Springer Todd, trial (2), (2:16), purchased by Culp & McCauley, contractors, of Brooklyn, has been placed in the hands of Andy McDowell.

Of the seven 2:08 trotters bred in this State Trainer Bob Proctor of Readville is the only driver to have the credit of having given records to more than one, he being behind a couple last year.

W. B. Owens, Hobart, Ind., will send his fast trotting mare Chiming Bells, 2:21¼, to Trainer Charley Dean. She showed Oscar Ames, 2:08¾, a couple of seasons ago.

The sensational green California trotter, Kidd Wilkes, matinee record 2:10¾, is not a four-year-old, as has been stated. He is seven, and is a gelding, not a stallion.

The trotting mare, Ida Gray, 2:13¾, died recently at Newark, N. J., of cerebro-spinal meningitis, aged twelve years. She was in foal to the dead Todd, 2:14¾.

Massachusetts is the only State in New England to have bred a 2:08 trotter, and in the season of 1908 three new ones were added to the list, viz.: The Leading Lady (3), (2:07); Uhlan (4), (2:07¾), and Nahama (2:07½).

W. W. Craft of the Fellsway Driving Club intends being right in the swim this year, he having bought of Charles Traiser the trotting mare Pearl Barrymore (4), (2:22¼). She is much faster than her record.

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HURLEY BESTS GRIFFIN IN 10 FIERCE ROUNDS

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—In one of the most cyclonic battles ever held in this city Battling Hurley, the Passaic wonder, beat Charley Griffin of Australia in ten rounds at the National Athletic Club.

The fight was so fast that the spectators were in a constant uproar of cheering from start to finish. Hurley deserved a decision if any could have been officially given, because he did most of the fighting, while Griffin held on continually and butted the Passaic boy to the ropes.

So great were the efforts of the men to land a knock out blow that in some of the rounds they would slip to the floor in their efforts. Both tried for the stomach, and Griffin weakened from the terific punishment he received in the fifth round, but came back strong in the last rounds.

Referee Buckley was kept hard at work separating the little men from the clinches, and as they would break away another furious rush and a few hammer-like blows delivered on the body and head would end in their being locked in each other's arms at the bell.

In the seventh round the boys were fighting so fast that they did not hear the bell and had to be stopped by the referee.

BIG GAMES IN THE STADIUM

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—The annual track and field meet of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America will be held this year at the Harvard Stadium, at least that was what was recommended at a joint meeting of the executive and advisory committees at the Waldorf-Astoria. Those present were the acting president, Theodore G. Rockwell, Cornell; A. Jocelyn H. McGrath, New York University, secretary; H. E. Hall, Columbia, treasurer. Executive committee—H. A. Seabury, Yale; J. V. Leland, Harvard; D. O. Meese, Princeton, and A. L. Geyelen, Pennsylvania. Advisory committee—Gustavus Kirby, Columbia; Romeyn Berry, Cornell. Thornton Gerrish of Harvard, the other advisory member, was not present, as he is at his home ill with typhoid fever.

It was the sentiment of the meeting that as Pennsylvania had the annual championship last year it was Harvard's turn this year and except a change is effected by the convention to-day the meet will go to Boston. It was also agreed that Pennsylvania should have the meet in 1910 and that of 1911 to be on neutral ground. For instance, if New York should have a stadium by that time it will be the spot for the games, or if the New York A. C. track at Travers Island happens to be altered so as to have a 220-yard straightaway and four-lap track the fixture could be held there.

The applications for membership in the association were read from University of Virginia, Bowdoin College and Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and they were favorably received and recommended for election to-day. It was also recommended that the rule allowing twenty men to start in the cross-country championship instead of twelve be passed by the convention to-day.

HARVARD MAY GET BIG AMATEUR MEET

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—That the annual track and field meet of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America will be held this year at the Harvard Stadium was recommended at a joint meeting of the executive and advisory committees at the Waldorf-Astoria. It was also agreed that Pennsylvania should have the meet in 1910, that of 1911 to be on neutral ground. The applications for membership in the association from University of Virginia, Bowdoin College and Massachusetts Institute of Technology were favorably received and recommended for election to-day.

BOSTON MAN WINS AT DOVER

DOVER, N. H., Feb. 27.—Harry Myers of Charlestown, Mass., was awarded the decision over Young Limerick of Haverhill in an eight-round bout before the Trio Athletic Club of this city. Myers had decidedly the best of the fight in every round. In the semi-final bout Kid Flaherty of Boston met Neadeau for four rounds. Neadeau proved a quitter, giving up in the second round. Patsy Haley of Newmarket acted as referee.

WANTS FUTURITY WINNER.

LYNN, Feb. 27.—Eben B. Philips has his sails out to capture a futurity. He owns a couple of royally-bred youngsters that should do to tell the story. Dextry is a three-year-old by Moko, out of the dam of The General, 2:11¼, while May Cliffe, a year youngster, is by Walnut Hall, 2:08¼, out of a mare by Moko. Each is entered in upwards of $60,000 worth of futurity engagements.

DRISCOLL AND ATTELL MAY FIGHT FOR TITLE ON COAST

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Abe Attell is willing to meet Owen Moran at 122 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock, the fight to take place in New York or any other town where the inducements are suitable.

Al Lippe, manager of Attell, said yesterday that Attell would be ready to sign up at any time, and if the weight was too low for the Britisher to make, a compromise would be entertained to let Moran come in a pound or two above the weight mentioned.

Several local clubs are willing to stage such a match, and it will only be a day or two before the boys are brought together. Lippe, during his conversation yesterday, took a fall out of Jimmy Johnson, and says the manager of Driscoll can have $500 the minute he signs the Briton for another match with Attell.

Lippe says he was shy of ready cash a few days before the last fight, but there is plenty of green stuff in the stable now, and Johnson cannot come through too soon with the articles.

Attell is willing to take on Driscoll, winner take all, but the fight will have to be over a distance of ground—say, twenty rounds. This would mean that the bout would have to be held on the Pacific Coast, where large purses are offered for big fights. Johnson is eager to sign for a second battle and is doubly anxious to get the $500 that Lippe has promised him for signing articles.

A twenty-round battle between Attell and Driscoll would attract a large crowd, and if handled by Jimmy Coffroth would surely draw close to $30,000. Driscoll will return here the latter part of March or the first of April, and if the present outlook for a match does not fall flat, we may expect to see Attell and Driscoll beating it for the far and woolly West to settle the question as to which is entitled to the world's featherweight title.

HANDICAP RACE IS DOUBTFUL

DETROIT, Feb. 27.—President W. W. Collier of the Detroit Driving Club is well satisfied with the outlook for the season.

The directors of the driving club have reappointed Albert H. Moone of Providence racing secretary for the year. Willis P. Rand, secretary of Detroit Lodge of Elks, clerk of the course at Grosse Pointe and other tracks, is assistant secretary, and has charge of the office and detail work. It is not expected that Mr. Moone will come here until later.

The driving club has not determined whether to put on a handicap, although some of the directors favor such an event for trotters with records of 2:10 or faster. One objection to such a race here is the fact that it is the first meeting, and a mile and a half is a long journey, but those who urge this do not figure that if the horses in mile-heat racing get away on the third score they will have gone the mile and a half at the end of the heat.

James Slocum is negotiating with Mr. Savage for a race between Dan Patch and Minor Heir as one of the attractions at the great autumnal doings. As Dan's share of his mile against the watch here in September was about $6,000 it is likely the deal will be made.

Little needs to be done to have the track and fair grounds plant ready for the early trainers. The gates will be opened on April 1, when some of the local brigade and Edward Benyon will move in. W. L. Snow writes from Buffalo that he will do his training here and a number of others are expected, as the roads in the fair grounds and surrounding country are excellent for Spring work. On top of this there is the opportunity to try the horses out at the Windsor meeting, which starts on July 20, affording the first chance of the Eastern-trained horses to race.

BOSTON BATTERY LOSES FIRST GAME

HOT SPRINGS, Feb. 27.—In the first exhibition game of the year here between all-Nationals and all-Americans, the former won, 13 to 11. Burchell and Rysen of Boston opened as batteries for the Americans. Pastorious of Brooklyn, Barry of Pittsburg and Bell of Brooklyn were pitchers for the Nationals, with Noyes catcher. Hemphill's three triples to deep left was the feature of the batting game.

DALEY FIGHTS A DRAW.

BIDDEFORD, Me., Feb. 27.—Andy Daley, the Boston lightweight, and Arthur Cote of this city fought a four-round draw here before the Cote A. C. The bout was advertised for six rounds, but Daley claimed the bills called for only four rounds and refused to finish. The small attendance was said to be the real cause of the short mill. Daley hit harder and Cote got in the most blows while the mill was in progress. The crowd was disgusted.

WOLGAST DEFEATS LITTLE.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 27.—Al Wolgast of Milwaukee knocked out Walter Little of Chicago in the fourth round of a scheduled twenty-round bout. Little never had a chance. All bets were declared off before the contest. Tommy Walsh was referee.

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

GOOD YEAR AT WOONSOCKET IS PREDICTED

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Feb. 27.—In every way the coming season looks the best in light harness horse racing ever known in this section. It is certain there will be several meetings at the local half-mile track, the opening one coming the middle of July.

Barton Cook will again be at the helm, and has promised no flaw will be had in conducting his meetings in the highest standard possible. Already he has in mind many plans relating to the improvement in the track and the meets.

While Mr. Cook is known best as a promoter he is also an enthusiastic horse owner and at the present time has three good pacers in his stable. One is Tom Crow, which has shown a half in 1:04 and several quarters in 33 seconds. He is a brother to Martha J., 2:16¼. He does not wear the hopples.

Another pacer which Mr. Cook thinks very highly of is The Grecian. He is a handsome gelding with lots of life. Lester Dore says he can go in 2:15. With only six weeks' training last year, the pacer went a mile to a cart in 2:30½, the last quarter being in 35 seconds. The hopples are unknown to him.

Mr. Cook's other pacer is St. Lambert. He has been second in 2:18 on a half-mile track.

Henry Berthlume, the well-known half-mile campaigner, has a string of four good horses at his Woonsocket stables, the black stallion, Carakina, 2:21¼, being well known here. There is no doubt but that he is one of the greatest little horses ever brought to this State. Carakina is by McKinney, 2:11¼, and his dam was Biscara, by Director, 2:17. The stallion stepped a half over the Narragansett Park track when a three-year-old in 1:06.

Mr. Berthlume also has Lanchow, 2:13¼, the pacer which has raced so successfully over all the New England tracks the past five years. The gelding has not yet reached the limit of his abilities and should make 2:10. Savine, a bay trotter with a mark of 2:24¼, is also owned by Mr. Berthlume. The mare is a good stayer, but a poor starter, thriving on plenty of work.

The fourth horse is Gingoler, a daughter of Bingen. This trotter has produced a foal by Carakina, which ought to be a star performer.

James Nugent has Silene, 2:26¼, a trotter which has heard the bell ring on the half-mile tracks. He also owns Senator Bacon, a stallion which goes on the trot.

The well-known trainer and driver, Tom Barry, is having all kinds of fun with Dan R., a pacer which is cleaning up everything in Milford. He has no mark. His stable mate is Alcyon, by Alcyonium, a trotter with a mark of 2:20¼, which has raced over the half-mile tracks.

2 MARATHON STARS IN RACE

Two athletes were never better groomed for a hard fight on the track than Bobby Fowler, the Cambridge Marathon speeder, and Jim Crowley, the New Yorker, who meet in their fifteen-mile match race at Mechanics Building track to-night.

It's a big event for Fowler, as Crowley is the only long distance man he figures has anything on him in the amateur ranks. He has beaten Fowler on two occasions, and Fowler decided to get him tied up in a match and test their respective running mettle.

Crowley makes his first appearance in the Hub, but his record speaks for itself. Coming to this country two years ago, he entered the Yonkers Marathon in 1907, and after leading for eighteen miles collapsed from drinking ice water. Last year he got a day off from his work and went out after the Yonkers Marathon and won it. That's the kind of stuff Crowley is made of, and Fowler has his hands full.

In that same race he defeated Fowler and such fast runners as Sammy Mellor, Tawinina, the Indian, Morrissey and a bunch of good ones. Recently he won a Marathon down in New Haven, Fowler being forced to drop out after going eight miles.

The pair will get on the mark at 9 o'clock, but an hour will be used up with a slashing five-mile race between Jimmy Lee, the blonde-haired B. A. A. runner, who has a lot of friends in the Hub, Fred Bellairs, one of the best from New York; Mike Norris, Joe Ballard and Pigot, well-known local runners, and a wrestling match for the 135-pound championship between Case of Harvard and Hakanson, the Swedish expert. The five-mile race will be called at 8 o'clock.

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JIM CROWLEY, WHO RACES WITH BOBBY FOWLER

YALE WINS FINAL GAME

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 27.—Yale defeated Harvard at basketball by 25 to 4 in the last game of the season. The home team started off with a rush and soon had a lead of a few points on the Crimson, which soon increased, the first half ending 12 to 3 in favor of Yale. Van Vleck displayed the best form in this half, while the work of the whole Yale team was far superior to that of Harvard.

BOXING BITS OF NEWS

Jim Driscoll and Abe Attell in a twenty-five round battle at Coffroth's Mission Street arena on July 4, the weight to be 125 pounds at 6 o'clock, the men to fight for the featherweight championship of the world, winner to take all. Sounds good and may come true.

Attell wants a long battle and is willing to let it be winner take all. Jimmy Johnson has already stated that Jim will box Attell again "under any old conditions," but the weight must be the same, 125 pounds at 6 o'clock.

Nothing would suit Young Corbett better than another rap at James Edward Britt, and if the Broadway idol beats Marto next Tuesday night Corbett will seek a match with Britt in London. The Kid is working every day and feels as good as ever. He looks great.

Al Neil, the greatest welterweight the Pacific Coast ever produced, knocked out Kyle Whitney, the colored wonder, in fourteen rounds last week at the Mission Athletic Club of Frisco. Since Neil returned to the ring he has beaten all the best men around Frisco and most of his victories have ended with knockouts. Neil has a punch, and there are few who can show him anything. Heiny Rafael will try and bring him here for a few bouts.

Attell and Young Pierce meet at the Washington Club of Philadelphia next Monday night in a six-round go at 122 pounds ringside. Pierce is one of the best featherweights in the country and the Quaker fans say he will give Abe a good run. Pierce gave Moran a good battle in England, beat Harry Baker, Tommy O'Keefe and Jimmy Walsh.

Billy McCarney, who took Young Erne to New Orleans to box Welsh, says Freddie is the taffy and the best near champion in the country. Bill said Erne was good and was entitled to a draw. McCarney will let Erne meet Cross, Murphy, Keyes, Attell or Moran and will weigh in at 130 to 133 pounds.

George Coulon will meet Joe Wagner in place of his brother and bet something on the side. Papa Coulon says he is not letting Johnny meet any boy at 115 pounds, but is picking them out. By that Mr. Coulon means Wagner is too tough, but will bet that Georgie can trim Joe at the same weight.

Hugo Kelly, the Chicago middleweight, will be the first man on the job when Ketchel arrives in the East. Kelly wants another chance to win the middleweight title. Thomas is also after a return match with Ketchel.

Johnny Thompson is not much of a cyclone as a drawing card. He drew about $3.75 at New Orleans the other night and became so peevish that he wouldn't fight.

John Haynes, the big colored fighter, who has been known as "Klondike" in the past, has been matched to box Sam Langford in Pittsburg the middle of March.

Barney Lichtenstein, manager of Johnny Thompson, returned from New Orleans, where Thompson's fight with Bert Keyes was called off on account of the slimness of gate receipts. Lichtenstein claims that the promoters eloped with the money. Thompson had a condition bout arranged with Freddie Welsh at the Crescent City, but believes the Briton will avoid the meeting. The battle between the "Cyclone" and Mickey Gannon at New York has been postponed from February 2 to March 5.

NOTED BREEDER DEAD.

DONELSON, Tenn., Feb. 27.—Andrew Price, proprietor of Clover Bottom Farm, died recently, aged fifty-six. He was for an extended period the owner of Egotist, 2:22½, the noted son of Electioneer, and of late years had used as his premier Egotist Bell, 2:15¼, by that horse. His farm was once a part of the famous Hermitage estate of "Old Hickory."

NEW RULES TO PROTECT AUTO OWNERS

By J. C. KERRISON.

The Street Commissioners of the city of Boston will shortly be asked to so regulate the traffic rules that it will be possible for an automobile dealer to leave an unattended automobile in front of his respective place of business a reasonable length of time. As things now stand a dealer who shall leave his car in front of his place for a longer period than five minutes can be haled into court and in such instances is generally found guilty of violating one of the traffic rules.

At one time this matter was taken up with the Street Commissioners direct, but owing to some misunderstanding the petitioners understood that they must seek relief before the Legislature. A bill providing for the necessary elasticity of the rules, placing the matter in the hands of the Street Commissioners, was then presented and a hearing on the same set for yesterday.

Nine-tenths of the motor dealers of the city were before the committee, when it was stated that under the present conditions the Street Commissioners had all the power necessary, hence the bill was given leave to withdraw. Commissioner Charles of the Street Commission was present, and it is understood that the board will shortly be asked to take necessary action in the premises.

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It is understood that there is still a chance that the Briarcliff race may yet be held, and that the contest committee of the A. C. A. have made some suggestions to Mr. Walter Law, the donor of the cup, that may brings about a contest.

It is suggested that the race be held on June 19; that a limited piston area rule be adopted; that invitations be sent to the leading manufacturers and dealers to enter cars, and that the owners of the first fifteen cars entered make the rules and form the committee to handle the race.

The entries are to close on May 1, and unless fifteen entries are received the race is to be abandoned. It is also suggested the clause requiring that at least ten cars of a model be built be eliminated.

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E. E. Schwartzkopf, who has just returned from the West, in discussing the racing situation, says: "The whole trouble is the fellows who don't race want to make the rules for those who do the racing. Nobody wants to race, but everyone wants to control racing, and it looks to me as if all the contests held this year would take place in the rooms where the Control Committee hold their meetings."

WILLIS WANTS MORE MONEY

PITTSBURG, Feb. 27.—A fight is on between the Pittsburg club owners and Victor Willis. The big pitcher has returned his contract unsigned, saying that he wants more money and will have it or he won't play at all. President Dreyfuss replied to Willis by letter, declining to return the unsigned contract, but stated plainly that if Willis was not in line by March 8 he could stay out of baseball altogether.

BASEBALL NEWS AND NOTES

Bowerman is making a play for Moeller or Tate, two crack outfielders the Pirates are likely to sell after the Spring training trip.

In case Joe McGinnity fails to induce McGraw to give him another chance he will have as an excuse for his sudden "turn up" in Texas that he is after the Fort Worth club of the Texas League. The "Iron Man" is reported as having offered a sum for the club that will probably be accepted. But Joe's offer doesn't go if he hooks up again with the Giants.

"Beaten in two pool matches, have been robbed and my place practically destrowed by fire will keep me from taking the Southern trip," writes Johnny Kling to Comiskey. This sure holds all records as an excuse for dodging the training session.

Chance has gone through his schedule with a fine-tooth comb and decided that he will send his batteries to West Baden instead of Hot Springs to boil out.

Ruelbach's demands were so light that Chance gave him a three years' contract. Had a hunch that Ed. would hold out for a top price, but he had rather play than eat, so it didn't take him long to affix his J. Hancock.

Hugh Duffy of the Providence team announces he has signed Shaw to play third for his Grays. Shaw hails from Pittsburg and is said to be a comer.

A Western scribe figures that the Naps should win the pennant for the best interests of the league because they have outdrawn the Tigers on their respective grounds 2,290,790 to 1,086,866.

Long John Anderson, who when a Yankee tried to pilfer second with the bases full, comes through with an original excuse for retiring from the game. He objects to stuffy sleeping car berths.

It really looked as though the Phillies had to do something. The Athletics are to have new grounds, so the National League club in the Sleeping Town went them one better and dug up new "owners."

BOWLING ALLEY GOSSIP

Arlington K. C. are pulling out some close scores in the past couple of games, their toughest battle comes next week against Mt. Bowdoin for the championship.

Natick did some excellent work in the play-off for second position in the first division of the K. C., though Bunker Hill was only thirteen pins shy in the total score. Waltham was the surprise in getting only 1,314.

West End are rooting hard that Arlington gets trimmed by Mt. Bowdoin, for in that case they have another chance to gain first honors in the K. C. League by going against Mt. Bowdoin themselves.

It was "Bulldog" Berrigan who pulled out the victory for Arlington, as in the final string he connected for 104, nailing the string for his team and with it the total by seven pins, making it a double-header.

W. Dale was high man of both the K. C. teams, with a total of 300 and a single-string score of 110 in his second string. The Dale boys can be counted the honey.

Melrose lost three out of four points in the Y. M. C. A. to Somerville, which marked its first serious setback this season. However, it could afford to lose, having a substantial lead over the other teams.

Timmy Burns's Chelsea bowlers can step terribly fast over those new alleys in the square. Another 1,500 total they put up in the Suburban League, and Timmy himself the candy boy with 323.

There was a lot of interest in the match between Newtowne and Central at the B. A. A. alleys. It was the initial meeting in deciding the three-cornered tie.

It is excellent news that Ted Crowley will be on deck for Medford in the Everett game. It was thought at one time he would have to go to Washington with the Lawrence Light Guard at the inaugural of the President-elect.

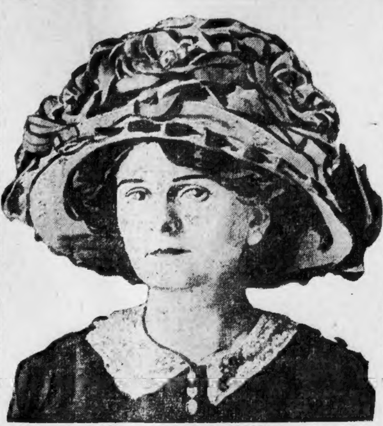
BASKETBALL NEWS AND NOTES

The Union A. A. want games with [illegible] teams any evening. Frank Maguire, 15 Chauncy street, Boston.

The crack Randolph A. A. would like to arrange games with any fast team away from home. Winthrop, Standish Guards, Hyde Park and Foxboro preferred. E. J. Brady, Randolph.

The Hatton A. C. of Charlestown would like to arrange games with any 125-pound teams in the State. The St. Joseph's and the Winthrop Yacht Club preferred. John Martin, 310 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown.

Here's the Very Latest in Hats; They Call It the "Cabriolet"



Model wearing one of the new hats.

The newest thing in hats is the "Cabriolet." It was exhibited this week at the National Association of Retail Milliners, in Chicago, and it adorns the windows of one or two of the most exclusive purveyors of head dress for women in Boston.

It is a dream. It is made of cafe au lait braid, twenty-two inches high, trimmed with Marie Louise roses, such as never grew in any garden save that which blooms in the imagination of a milliner. In color these roses are orange, violet, green and beige. Besides the roses, the hat is trimmed with catawba braid of velvet, with a rose velvet ribbon around the edge and a rose satin facing.

It is called, besides the "Cabriolet," the "Marie Louise Toque," and is of the 1776 model. Out in Chicago they said it looked like a hansom cab, hence the new nomenclature. It promises to be the popular style for the Summer, but it will not entirely displace the "Mushroom" and the "Merry Widow." These latter are expected to be larger than ever. The newest styles of "Merry Widow" can be worn only where there are double doors.

NEWS ABOUT RAILROADS

Upon his return from a recent meeting of passenger representatives of the Burlington route, held in Chicago, W. J. O'Meara, Eastern passenger agent of this road announces that beginning May 23 the Burlington route will operate two through solid electric lighted trains from Chicago to Seattle daily via St. Paul without change. This innovation will be appreciated by those attending the Exposition at Seattle this Summer, as well as the general traveling public, and the equipment of these trains will be luxurious and up to the usual Burlington route standard of excellence.

About May 23 the famous "Oriental Limited" of the Great Northern Railroad, now running between St. Paul and Seattle, will run daily between Chicago and Seattle via the C., B. & Q. to St. Paul, leaving Chicago at 10:15 p. m. This magnificent train, which has gained its popularity by affording its patrons every comfort of travel through the most exquisite scenery in the Northwest, will be electric lighted throughout. This will mean a journey from the Atlantic to the Pacific, a distance of over 3,000 miles, in about 103 hours, or four nights on the road, with only one change of cars.

G. A. Titcomb, city passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific road, goes to the Pacific Coast next week to inspect the system, familiarize himself with the territory, gathering travel details for the benefit of New England tourists traveling on his road to the Yukon Exposition this Summer.

To-night the Railroad Agents' Association of New England will hold a meeting in the private dining room at the South station. Special guests of the association will be A. W. Martin, superintendent Boston division N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.; J. A. Drogue, superintendent of the Providence division N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R.; William F. Ray, superintendent of the Concord division B. & M. R. R., and Philip Morrison, superintendent of the Eastern division B. & A. R. R.

J. E. Wilson, New England agent of the Southern Railway, who has been South on business for the road, is expected back to-day.

The steamship Gloucester of the Merchants and Miners' Line sails from Battery wharf this afternoon with a complete complement of stateroom passengers desirous of taking in Old Point Comfort, Fortress Monroe, and getting a glimpse of the big battleship fleet in Hampton Roads previous to going to Washington to attend the inauguration of President Taft. The big company of tourists was booked through George E. Marsters, No. 298 Washington street.

C. E. Foster, the New England agent of the Northern Pacific, has returned from an active business trip through Maine the past week.

Ludwig Tullgren of the Scandinavian Line, with headquarters at No. 298 Washington street, is receiving congratulations on the arrival of a beautiful girl baby at his cosy Dorchester home a few days ago.

J. E. Brittain, general passenger agent of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, is one of the busiest railroad officials in Boston. He has within a few days covered a large amount of territory on account of important business.

To-morrow afternoon the Fifth Regiment, M. V. M., numbering about 750 men, including officers and band, under command of Colonel William H. Oakes, and the Coast Artillery Corps, numbering about 750 men, including officers and band, under command of Colonel C. P. Nutter, will depart from Boston, South Station, for Washington, to participate in the inauguration of President Taft. J. B. Scott, New England passenger agent, and T. K. Ruth, travelling passenger agent, of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, will accompany both organizations from Boston to Washington and return. The special boat Plymouth of the Fall River Line, on the return trip, takes both organizations from Jersey City to Fall River.

The Colonization Bureau of the Santa Fe road reports that in the past fifteen months 7,000,000 acres of public land have been taken for homesteads in New Mexico by new settlers. Seventy-five thousand people have settled along the line of the Santa Fe. Many of these people come from New England. Sixteen thousand homestead entries have been taken.

H. M. Fletcher, passenger agent of the Sante Fe, reports the biggest tourist season in the history of the road, hundreds of New England people using the popular Santa Fe service to California.

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CROWN PRINCE NOT TO VISIT AMERICA

BERLIN, Feb. 27.—It is stated that the report that the Crown Prince would visit America arose from his receiving an invitation from a group of American sporting associations to attend a series of sporting events in the United States incognito.

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'THE BARRIER

By REX BEACH

CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued.

At intervals an unholy impulse almost drove him to Stark's cabin to finish the work Gale had begun, to do it coldly as a matter of justice, for was he not the one who had put Necia into the hands of that ruffian? Greeting Lee mechanically, he said to Gale:

"I can't wait much longer," and sank wearily into a seat. Almost the next instant he was on his feet again, saying to the trader, as he had said it a score of times already: "Runnion comes to me, Gale! You understand he's mine, don't you?"

The old man nodded. "Yes! You can take him."

"Well, who do I git?" asked Lee.

"You can't come along," the trader said. "We may have to follow the hound clean to the States. Think of your mine——"

"To hell with the mine!" exploded the shaggy prospector. "I reckon I'm kind of a daddy to your gal, and I'm goin' to be in at the finish."

Back and forth paced the lieutenant restlessly, pausing every now and then to peer down the river. Suddenly he uttered a cry, and with a bound Gale was beside him, Lee at his shoulder.

"Look! Over the point! Down yonder! I saw smoke!"

The three stared at the distant forest fringe that masked the bend of the river until their eyes ached, and the dark green grew black and wavered indistinctly.

"You're tired, my boy," said Gale.

"Wait!"

They obeyed, and finally over the tree-tops saw a faint streamer of black.

"It is! It is!" cried the soldier. "I'm going for my war bag."

And before the steamboat had hove into sight he was back with his scanty bundle of baggage, behaving like one daft, talking and laughing and running here and there. Lee watched him closely, then went behind the bar and poured out a stiff glass of whiskey, which he made Burrell drink. To Gale he whispered, a moment later:

"Keep your eye on him, John—he'll go mad at this rate."

They waited, it seemed, interminably, until at last a white hull slowly rounded the point, then shaped a course across the current towards the other bank, where the water was less swift. As it came fully into sight, Gale swore aloud in despair:

"It's the Mission boat!"

"Well, what of that?" said Burrell. "We'll hire it—buy it—take it!"

"It's no use; she ain't got but three dog-power to her engines," Lee explained. "She's a down-river boat—has to run with the current to move."

"We can't use her," Gale gave in, reluctantly. "She'd only lose time for us. We've got to wait for one of the A. C. boats."

"Wait!" cried Burrell. "Good God! we've done nothing but wait, wait, WAIT! Let's do something!"

"You go back yonder and set down," commanded Lee. "We'll have a boat before long."

The arrival of the tiny Mission steamer was never of sufficient importance to draw a crowd to the riverbank, so the impatient men at the post relaxed interest in her as she came creeping up abreast of the town.

It was little Johnny Gale who first saw Necia and Poleon on board, for he had recognized Father Barnum's craft at a distance, and stationed himself at the bank hand-in-hand with Molly to bid the good, kind old man welcome.

The men inside the house did not hear the boy crying Necia's name, for his voice was small, and they had gone to the rear of the store.

"Understand! You leave Runnion to me," Burrell was saying. "No man shall lay hands on him except me——"

His voice trailed away; he rose slowly to his feet, a strange light on his face. The others turned to see what sight had drawn his eyes. In the opening, all splendid with the golden sunlight, stood Necia and Poleon Doret, who had her by the hand—and she was smiling!

Gale uttered a great cry and went to meet them but the soldier could move nothing save his lips and stood dazed and disbelieving. He saw them dimly coming toward him and heard Poleon's voice as if at a great distance, saw that the Frenchman's eyes were upon him and that his words were directed to him.

"I bring her back to you M'sieu'!"

Doret laid Necia's hand in that of her lover and Burrell saw her smiling shyly up at him. Something gripped him chokingly and he could utter no sound.

There was nothing to say—she was here, safe, smiling, that was all. And the girl beholding the glory in his eyes understood.

Gale caught her away from him then, and buried her in his arms.

A woman came running into the store, and, seeing the group, paused at the door—a shapeless, silent, shawled figure in silhouette against the day. The trader brought the girl to her foster-mother, who began to talk in her own tongue with a rapidity none of them had ever heard before, her voice as tender as some wild bird's song; then the two women went away together around the store into the house.

Poleon had told Necia all the amazing story that had come to him that direful night, all that he had overheard, all that he knew, and much that he guessed.

The priest came into the store shortly, and the men fell upon him for information, for nothing was to be gained from Poleon, who seemed strangely fagged and weary and who said but little.

"Yes, yes, yes!" laughed Father Barnum. "I'll tell you all I know, of course, but first I must meet Lieutenant Burrell and take him by the hand."

The story did not lose in his telling, particularly when he came to describe the fight on the gravel bar which no man had seen, and of which Poleon had told him little; but the good priest was of a militant turn, and his blue eyes glittered and flashed like an old crusader's.

"It was a wondrous combat," he declared, with all the spirit of a spectator, "for Poleon advanced bare-handed and beat him down even as the man fired into his face. It is due to the goodness and mercy of God that he was spared a single wound from this desperado—a miracle vouchsafed because of his clean heart and his righteous cause."

"But where is Runnion?" broke in Burrell.

"Nursing his injuries at some woodcutter's camp, no doubt; but God be praised for that double spirit of generosity and forgiveness which prompted our Poleon to spare the wretch. No finer thing have I known in all my life, Doret, even though you have ever been an ungodly fellow."

The Frenchman moved uneasily.

"Wal, I don' know; he ain't fight so dam' hard."

"You couldn't find no trace of him?" said Lee.

"No trace whatever," Father Barnum replied; "but he will surely reach some place of refuge where we can pick him up, for the days are still mild and the woods full of berries, and, as you know, the streams overflow with salmon, which he can kill with a stick. Why, a man might live a fortnight without inconvenience!"

"I'll be on the lookout for him," said the Lieutenant, grimly. "To-night I'll send Thomas and a couple of men down the river."

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THE AMERICAN'S MAGAZINE PAGE

THE GREATEST EDUCATIONAL NEED

"More Than Half the Poverty of the World Comes from Wrong Ideas About Eating and Drinking"

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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> MY motto: Health, Happiness and Long Life.
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> Disease is unnatural. Its cause is unnatural living habits. Sickness is Nature's revolt and attempt to cure. Right treatment insures and speeds the cure.
>
> In critical illness, early right treatment secures speedy convalescence, saving time, expense, pain and risk to life.
>
> The prevailing drug treatment tends to prevent recovery, and by depleting the vital forces shortens life in any event.
>
> Poisoning the sick, injecting vaccine, "anti-toxin," etc., will ultimately be made a penal offense.
>
> CHARLES E. PAGE, M. D.

EVERY earnest worker for the legal restriction of vivisection must rejoice to read such words as those quoted above, from a well-known physician of Boston, and the author of several medical works of value.

Besides, Dr. Page is a prophet, for just as surely as leeching and bleeding have passed into the cemetery of the "obsolete" as medical practices, so will vaccination and anti-toxin methods pass in time to come—not far distant.

Torture Will Soon Be a Relic

Science will discover natural, sensible and human antidotes for every malady which now depends upon the torture of dumb creatures for its "anti-toxin."

An article published in this column some time ago credited a dissertation on over-feeding as the cause of colds, to "Wallace Wattles."

Dr. Parker, it seems, is the real author of the article to whom credit should have been given, and his articles appeared in the Popular Science Monthly as long ago as January, 1884. Dr. Page says in his letter to me:

"I find that the more the laity know ut a progressive physician's views on it, etc., the less they are inclined to ploy him, while they 'tumble over themves' to consult any specially popular ysician who never assumed to dictate to bother his patients about their living bits. This explains my complacency at ring my work attributed to another.

he Real Cause of a "Cold"

"In point of fact, the originator of the hory, so far as I have been able to ace it, was Dr. Benjamin Franklin, who as doubtless one of the wisest men who er lived on this earth. In his 'Essays' e says this: 'I shall not attempt to explain why "damp clothes" occasion colds ther than wet ones, because I doubt the ct. I imagine that neither the one nor e other contributes to this effect, and at the causes of colds are entirely independent of wet or even of cold.'

"But Dr. Franklin did not go into the question of diet, clothing, etc., or make any special explanation of his views.

"On the other hand, Dr. Levi Reuben, a celebrated English physician, explains the matter very carefully, and shows how it comes about that a single badly composed or over-full meal will give rise to all the symptoms of so-called cold, by surcharging the circulation with waste matters from indigestion. Of course, the word is a complete misnomer.

"I feel sure that if this one theory were properly understood and fairly acted upon, it would lessen the general death rate by one-half."

Dr. Charles Archibald of New York City is another progressive and awakened physician of the old school.

"I would never permit a son of mine," he said, "to take vivisection in his medical course of study.

"It proved only a source of most unhappy and painful memories to me, an I have always wished that my instinct which urged me to leave out that part my medical education, had been obeyed. I find the growing wonders of the Finse and X-rays promising an entire reconstru tion of medical thereapeutics.

Knife May Be Relegated

"Sooner than we imagine, the old dru ging and cutting will be done away wit save for exceptional cases, where ac dents necessitate the surgeon's knife. A soon vivisection will be relegated to t worn-out historical realm with oth horrors of past ages."

All the reformers, philanthropists a workers for the improvement of the co dition of the poor will one day unite in systematized effort to teach mothers h to feed their children.

More than half the poverty of t world comes from wrong ideas about e g and drinking.

It should be made a finable offense for mother to give a growing child tea or ffee, or beer or wine.

each the Mothers How to Feed

They are subtle poisons for the little stem, which needs all its strength to ow and develop into perfect maturity. ere one-half the money now used in ving poor people medical and surgical eatment and in paying their coal and tchers' bills used to teach mothers how feed their children, the necessity for aritable societies would noticeably decease in one generation.

Were every poor child in this great y to-day put on a sensible, wholesome, ientifically prepared nourishing diet, and ot allowed to poison its system with dly cooked or unhealthful solids or quids, the world would be astonished at the improved condition of the population of this city in the next twenty years; an improvement which would affect the city morally, physically, mentally and financially.

Much is being done by the Mothers' Clubs along these lines, and much is being done by the Society for Improvement of the Condition of the Poor.

Work for the Millionaires

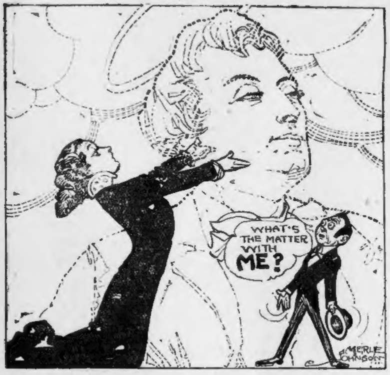
But little is being done for the furtherance of this great and needed educational work by our millionaires.

What a monument of glory some rich man might leave for himself by setting apart $1,000,000 to be used in this one way, in the systematic training of mothers and fathers in the feeding of their growing children!

Speak up, Mrs. Carnegie! Or was it Mr. Rockefeller's voice I heard?

The "Ideal" Husband

Many Marriages Fail Because Women Demand Too Much of Men


WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH ME?
MERLE JOHNSON

"The ideal man is a fetich every woman believes in, and with whom she compares her husband to his everlasting undoing."

By DOROTHY DIX

THE French courts have just awarded a divorce to a man because his wife demanded too many qualities of him.

It appears that the lady was a romantic soul, with a lofty ideal, and when she began to measure the frail and faulty masculine creature that she had married up against the Romeo of her dreams, and discovered that her husband was a mere man instead of a little tin god, she couldn't stand it.

Neither could he, for a woman in the process of being disillusioned is a mighty trying proposition to live with.

The case is spoken of as being unusual, but in reality it is the prototype of millions of others, as a multitude of harrassed husbands can bear testimony.

Every woman starts out with the modest demand that the man she marries shall be handsome, and gallant, and noble, and brave, and poetic, and romantic, and a money maker, and with the temper of an angel, and the manners of a Chesterfield.

And when he falls down on some of these specifications, she beats upon her breast, and moans out that she has married a mere clod. Also, she generally makes things uncomfortable for the clod.

They Demand Too Much of Men

Perhaps the very secret of why marriage is so often a failure is to be found in the fact that women demand too much of men. Of course they don't get it, but it is the asking and expecting the impossible that keeps them always in a ferment of dissatisfaction, and prevents them from making the best of the good they have gotten.

All women are idealists. It is their bane, but they can't help it, poor things. They are built that way, and they spend their time from the cradle to the grave constructing a fantastic imaginary creature that they call, until they marry, *the kind of a man I am going to marry.* After they marry, they call it *the man I wish I had married.*

This romantic hero is about as much like a real man as a fish is like a mermaid. Nevertheless, he is a fetich that every woman believes in, and with whom she compares her husband, to that poor man's everlasting undoing.

It is literally true that when a woman marries she gets the jar of her life when it first dawns upon her that her husband is just an ordinary human being like she is. She expects him, as a matter of course, to put up with her temper, and tongue, and nerves, and blunders, and to make allowances for her not being perfect.

On the other hand she is shocked and horrified to find out that he possesses exactly the same faults and weaknesses.

Finds He Is Just a Human

To discover that he is fussy about his little belongings, that he takes more real heart interest in what he is going to eat than he does in the higher life, that he swears a blue streak when his collar button rolls under the bureau, that he occasionally comes home soused or otherwise zigzags now and then off the straight and narrow path, fills her with bitter amazement.

This is not the way her strong, romantic, noble ideal would do, and she spends many painful hours in telling the plain, ordinary Mr. Brown, whom she has married, how far short he falls of being the Sir Galahad of her dreams.

Undoubtedly a great deal of friction in domestic life is caused by wives trying to make their husbands over according to their ideals.

Dawn of a Domestic Millennium

To do men justice, they do not assume the roles of heroes. Women thrust that honor on them. Any husband would rather be treated just on a common, human, faulty, give-and-take platform than to be put upon a pedestal and worshipped—and when wives find that out there's going to be a domestic millennium.

It will be a great day for all concerned when a woman makes up her mind to let her husband enjoy his weaknesses in peace, while she enjoys his virtues.

The Frenchman is the only man who has yet had the courage to ask for a divorce from his wife because she didn't reach up to her ideal, but there's many and many a poor badgered American husband who would like to.

Love, and What It Depends On

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

I DON'T know of any more certain extinguisher of love than constant complaints. The man who is unfortunate enough to be tied to a complaining wife may be loyal to her, but he cannot love her.

I know of one man who married a perfect flower of a girl. She was as sweet and delicate as a narcissus—until they were married.

The honeymoon was barely over before the complaints began.

The man was big and splendid and he bowed to the inevitable and made the best of it. Finally the wife settled down to a fancied invalidism and the husband has been her patient slave ever since. He treats her with every consideration, but no man could possibly love such a whining, complaining woman.

Instead of helping him in his career she has been a great drawback to him.

There is many a complaining woman who is stretching he, husband's love to the utmost limit of its endurance.

The average man wants relaxation at the end of his hard day's work. Perhaps it is his duty to listen to a string of household woes, but it certainly is not his pleasure.

Love is an orchid, not a hardy annual which will survive all sorts and conditions of weather and treatment.

There are thousands who positively dread going home at night, so sure are they of running into a string of complaints.

No matter how great the love at the start, it cannot survive constant friction and irritation.

There are a few women whose love is faithful unto death, no matter how it is neglected; but there are no men whose love will survive ill treatment.

Convincing an Englishman

By LILIAN BELL

LADY CONSTANCE LYTTON, sister of Lord Lytton and daughter of the former Viceroy of India, has been arrested in London, together with a number of other titled suffragettes, for creating a disturbance in the streets while trying to reach Mr. Asquith with a petition concerning their cause.

At the same time numbers of American suffragists went in an orderly and dignified manner to the State House to try to secure legislation favoring the same cause.

At the State House nobody thought it necessary to create a riot or go to jail in order to get an idea through our American men's minds, so why, we ask, were Lady Lytton and her friends so radical?

But stop a moment. Did any of you ever try to get an idea into an Englishman's head?

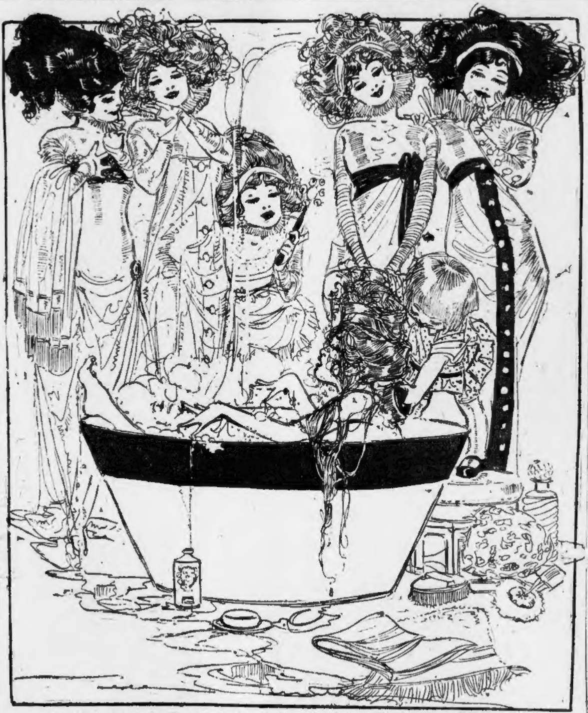
An Englishman's positive knowledge that he is sovereign of the universe, and that nobody else on earth, even his own wife and girl children, matter in the slightest degree, can only be likened to that of another Englishman regarding himself.

The thickness of epidermis and this lack of spontaneous comprehension which have made the English nation so justly famous are evidently known to the suffragettes, and these arrests seem to indicate that, knowing the futility of gentler methods, they have broken off diplomatic relations and are trying to take the fortress by assault.

An efficacious method which would be sure to reach home would be for all women without children to organize a strike and fail to perform all duties as housekeeper, chambermaid and cook until interdependence were conceded.

The Troubles of Baby Powder Puff—By Nell Brinkley

"What I'd Do to Them if I Was Their Boss"



"They'd stand around with pretty heads cocked over in adoring attitudes, and violate your dignity."

OH, and then there's another creature! She's finer than the others, for her breast is warm and sweet to cuddle and dream on, while she sings "Little Blue Pigeon With Diamond Eyes," and the chair sways, and my eyelids go down and get scratchy, like sand on the edges. And she loves me a lot!

That's my Mum. She's tall and straight and little around, with eyes as blue as ice, and hair that's yellow like the buckles on my shoes. And she has wood-dove notes in her voice when she talks to me.

She loves me a lot; but there's some things, oh, little tin soldier o' mine, that she does to me, that're tougher than what any other creatures ever do.

And if I was boss, oh, Mummy, I'd make you *know* what it was to be a little, *little* boy, with all the people in his world on a level with his sky, and with a temper and no *punch!*

And all I can do is kick up a frenzied row and caterwaul—and then in the end I'm sat on!

And this is one awesome sentence I'd read out to you, yellow and blue mother of mine. I'd summon you to the tub and its vile froth and splutter. I'd give you a bath 'leven times a day and I'd call in all your sweet Lady-chums to watch the fun!

And they'd stand around, with their pretty heads cocked over in adoring attitudes, and violate your dignity. And when the soap fluff went in your mouth, and the drips ran into your clenched eyes, and you spluttered, in the clearest sort of language that you knew you were clean, they'd coo and enthuse: "Isn't that just the sweetest thing! Look how its little mouth goes—and its little hands, and— Aw-w-w-w, look at it *kick;* and that kinkled up nose, and— Oh, isn't that wrinkle just the *'dorablest* thing!"

Oh, straight, blue-eyed Lady, with the wood-dove voice and the soap and the fringed towels—by the last button on my dress, where the "bird's nest" at the nape of my neck is, I'd make you *know!*

NELL BRINKLEY.

THE FALLEN LEADER

A DIRGE OVERHEARD IN PHILADELPHIA

By James J. Montague

MERLE JOHNSON

WAY down in old Philadelphia, where life is one long nap,
Enlivened every evening by the scrapple and the scrap,
I used to lead the social whirl, to shine among the bunch,
To be the smart set's white-haired boy—until I lost the punch.
I went the social rounds each night, sometimes as high as ten;
I fought at all the swellest balls and fete-shampates, and then?

AND then, when puffed with the belief that I had reached the top,
I met a little sailor man at Mrs. Chestnut's hop—
A man of little social class; for class, you understand,
Is given only those who've got a punch in either hand.
Two belts and three decisions each the climbers must display
Before they make the social weight in Philadelphiay.

TEN
BEG PAHDON

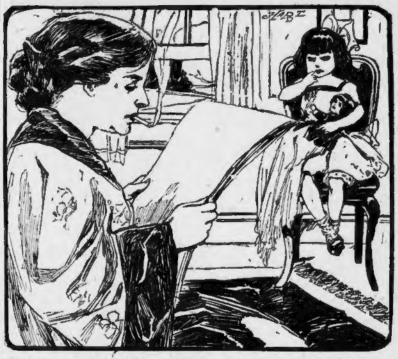
I TOOK the little sailor on beneath the golden glow
Of myriad lights, while beauteous eyes looked on to see the go.
Miss Drowse, the lovely debutante, who lately wrestled Gotch,
Was referee, and Mrs. Nodd, of Camden, held the watch.
Alas I little knew my fate! I thought I'd met a dub,
And chuckled as Miss Drowse announced: "Both members of this club."

I MUNCHED a scrapple sandwich as I threw my robe aside.
"Go to him! Put the beggar out!" the gentle maidens cried
I grasped his hand, then got the word, and with a left-arm swing
I planted him a punch I thought would send him from the ring.
The fellow clinched, and in the mix I got a jab, and then
I heard the beautiful Miss Drowse say—"Seven—eight—nine—ten."

NO more exclusive boxing clubs display my picture now;
No more the loveliest debutantes wreathe laurels for my brow;
No more I am the general toast at every grand affair—
A battered little sailor man has all the honors there.
For one may never hope to shine in Quakertown again
Who's heard the lovely referee count—"Seven—eight—nine—ten."

The Woman That Smokes

She Sacrifices Her Femininity—Woman's Greatest Charm



"When she saw her mother smoking a cigarette, her little face was a pathetic mixture of disgust and dismay."

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

HAVE you ever seen a baby gaze in big-eyed disapproval at a woman with a cigarette between her lips? I have, and the two were mother and child.

All her short life this baby girl had been accustomed to seeing her father smoke, and thought nothing of it. But when she saw her mother smoke, her little face was a pathetic mixture of disgust and dismay.

Instinctively she knew that her mother was doing something unlovely.

I have seen many women smoke, but I have never yet seen one who was in any way benefited by the performance.

Every girl goes through a phase of thinking it smart to smoke. So in secret, and feeling thoroughly uncomfortable, mentally and physically, she puffs away at a cigarette. In nine out of ten cases one trial is enough.

Ask your brother or husband what he thinks of women smoking. He will tell you that he does not mind seeing a woman for whom he cares nothing smoke, but that he would hate to see a cigarette in your mouth.

All men admire daintiness and freshness in a woman. You can be neither fresh nor dainty if you smell of smoke, and if your finger tips are yellow instead of pink, as nature intended them to be.

Don't you know that the secret of man's adoration for woman is because she if so different from himself? She cannot be too feminine and sweet to suit him.

When a woman smokes she loses her chief charm—her femininity. Her eyes lose their brightness, her mouth its purity.

Not long ago a man by chance happened in, on a woman's bridge party. The women were playing for money, drinking highballs and smoking.

"I felt," he afterward told me, "as if I were in a saloon."

The woman who smokes has no right to kiss a child, even if it be her own.

If you saw a big strong man take a bit of linen out of his pocket and sit down to embroider it, you would be quite disgusted and call him a "Miss Nancy," wouldn't you? He would be out of his sphere.

Well, when a man sees a woman light a cigarette he feels the same way. She is out of her sphere of womanliness.

Smoking in women is detrimental to health, morals and looks, and you are indeed a strange kind of woman if you can wantonly trifle with any one of those three.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

DEPENDS ON LOVE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young man twenty years of age, and am in love with a girl two years my junior, who returns my love. Recently I took a girl friend of my brother's to the theatre, and my girl friend, upon hearing of this, got very angry and will not speak to me. Kindly let me know if I should call and explain, or let her alone.

L. D. C.

SHE is jealous; that's all. If you love her call and explain matters, and I think everything will be all right. She probably did not understand that the girl was your brother's friend, not yours.

NOTHING MORE TO DO

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am very much in love with a young gentleman, whom I have only known for the past four or five months. We were very friendly for a while, but he seems to care less for me now. I wrote him a letter which he failed to answer. Could you advise me what to do? I dread to part with him. When I was out coasting the other evening he would hardly notice me. Do you think he wants my company any more? Do you think I did right in writing him a letter?

D. G. C.

I AM afraid there is nothing more that you can do. There was no harm in writing to him, but do not write again. He seems to be fickle, and men of that type are not worth worrying over.

A CASE OF "QUITS"

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I have been keeping company with a gentleman for three years. At the same time he was engaged to be married to a girl who lived in Montreal. I heard he told a friend of mine he did not care for me, but I was company for him when he went driving. I am only twenty-four and he is thirty-eight. I never cared for him, but I thought he would make a good husband. Now he is married and I have some presents and pictures he gave me. Do you advise me to return them? I also found out he was not worth as much as he said, so I am glad to get rid of him.

J. M.

RETURN his gifts if you are anxious to. I cannot say that you deserve much sympathy, as you only cared for his money, not for him. As far as your mutual attitude you were quits.

RENEW FRIENDSHIP.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Three years ago I had the pleasure of making the acquaintance of a lady with whom I fell desperately in love.

Some time ago our affection toward each other was broken, of which I was the cause.

She is at present going with a young man, but seems to pay little attention to him, and is very anxious to have me again.

As this young lady is about two years my senior, I would like your advice, whether or not to again continue our love, and if so, how to go about it.

E. D. E. M.

IF you still care for her and have reason to believe she cares for you, I do not think the slight difference in your ages should prevent your being happy. Write and tell her that you still care for her and would like to renew the friendship if she is willing.

To-day's Best Story

"IT'S all right to help a man when he is in the Down and Out Club, but it is sometimes necessary to obtain his permission to do so, or you may be made party to a damage suit," said Senator Clark of Montana, to a group of friends.

"A friend of mine out in Butte is defending a damage suit for being a party to making a man take the liquor cure without his consent.

"This man had been on a protracted spree of several weeks and his business was going to the dogs. My friend thought it would be a kindly thing to send him to a sanitarium for treatment. He did so and the man was given the cure for the whiskey habit.

"When he was discharged from the sanitarium the first thing he did was to go to a saloon. He called for whiskey. He tasted it, but did not fancy the flavor of it. He set his distaste of it down to the cure he had been given by my friend's orders, and immediately began suit for $50,000 damages. He says in his complaint that he had a highly cultivated and discriminating taste for whiskey, which had taken years to develop, and that it was spoiled by the cure.

"I do not know how my friend will come out, but he is not helping any more 'down and outs' without first obtaining their consent."

CO-EDS AND WIVES

The London Teacher has been looking into the marriage rate at Manchester University, and found that of 560 women who achieved degrees only 64 have married. At Manchester the young woman and the young man sit side by side. And only 12 of the 560 have mated themselves with male graduates.

Auntie (after listening to the tale of woe)—It serves you right, Tommy. All little boys who play marbles on Sunday always lose them.

Tommy—Well, how about Billy? He won 'em all!

TO-MORROW IN THE CHURCHES

To-morrow is the first Sunday of Lent. Special services will be held in most of the churches in Boston. Lenten services will also be held during the week.

At Tremont Temple in the morning at 10:30 the Rev. Dr. Cornelius Woelfkin, of Rochester, N. Y., will preach. The ordinance of baptism will follow. Vesper services will be held at quarter of six in the evening, conducted by the Rev. J. J. Dunlop. The regular evening service will be held at 7:30 and Dr. Woelfkin will preach.

At the Clarendon Street Baptist Church Dr. W. C. Manifee, F. R. S. L., will preach his farewell sermon at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The ordinance of baptism will be observed at the close of the evening service.

Rev. Francis H. Rowley will conduct the services at the First Baptist Church, Commonwealth avenue, corner of Clarendon street. The usual services will be held.

At the Dudley Street Baptist Church Pastor Bustard will preach at 10:30 on "The Meaning of the Boston Revival"; at 7:30, "Lingering Lot."

The usual services will be conducted at the Ruggles Street Baptist Church by Rev. C. C. Earle, pastor. "Cleansing Through Obedience" will be the subject at the 10:30 service and "Prepare to Meet Thy God" at 7:30.

At the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Bowdoin square, Rev. F. E. Heath has chosen for his subject "Life's Opportunities." "In the Garden of Eden" will be the topic at the evening service. Solos will be sung by Mrs. Richardson, Mr. Sacrison and Miss Pringle.

"The Call of the Vision" will be Rev. Joseph E. Perry's subject at the Warren Avenue Baptist Church. At 7:30, Pastor Rev. Herbert S. Johnson will preach on "The Opportunity of the Revival." Mr. Albert C. Orcutt will sing at the morning service and the Lotus Quartet at the evening.

Rev. Charles E. Park will conduct the services at the First Congregational Church, corner Berkeley and Marlboro streets.

At the Central Congregational Church, Jamaica Plain, the Rev. Chauncey J. Hawkins, minister, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject: "The Ministry of Fear," with theme of the sermon in the evening.

At the Old South Church the Rev. George A. Gordon, D. D., minister, will preach at 10:30 and 7:30. His subject will be: "What Is Prayer?" being the first of a series of sermons on "Prayer" during the successive Sunday evenings during Lent.

Rev. A. Z. Conrad, Ph.D., of the Park Street Congregational Church, will preach at 10:30. His subject will be, "The Immutable Affirmations of Christianity." At 12:30 there will be an address by Rev. F. N. Peloubet, his subject being, "The Sunday School, the Generation of Power for Christianity." "What Christian Endeavor Has Done for the Progress of the Kingdom" will be the subject of an address by Rev. Francis E. Clark, D.D., at 6 p. m. At 7:30 President William M. Mackenzie, D.D., of Hartford Seminary, will speak. There will be special music in the morning and evening.

Beginning to-morrow evening, when the sermon will be by the Rev. Charles L. Slattery of Christ Church, Springfield, there will be special Lenten services in Trinity Church, Copley square, both Sundays and weekdays at 8 p. m., preceded by a short organ recital. In addition, each week will be marked by services on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons at 4:30 o'clock. The final week of the Lenten season the Rev. Alexander Mann, rector of the church, will deliver three sermons on "The Disciples and Their Lord."

An innovation is to be introduced at the Maverick Church, East Boston, next Sunday, in the form of a musical program, which is to be given at 7:15 before the regular service. The music is to be in charge of Charles Cameron Bell. These musical programs are to continue for two months.

At the Church of the Advent, Mt. Vernon and Brimmer streets, Rev. William Harmon Van Allen, S. T. D., rector, will preach at 10:30 a. m., his subject being "Present Day Problems of Right Living." At 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. S. Littell of New Hampshire will lecture. "Reunion of Anglicans and Protestants" will be his topic.

"Is Christianity a Failure?" will be the subject of Rev. Fred B. Fisher's sermon at the First M. E. Church, Temple street. The usual services will be held.

At the First Presbyterian Church, corner of Columbus avenue and Berkeley street, Rev. James Alexander will preach at 10:30 and 7:30. The morning subject will be "The Blessedness of Practical Christianity." In the evening his topic will be "What Is Our Response to Christ's Call?"

Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham will preach at the Arlington Street Unitarian Church. The usual services will be held.

At King's Chapel Rev. Howard N. Brown will preach at 10:30. There will be an afternoon service at 3:30.

At the Columbus Avenue Universalist Church Rev. Stephen H. Roberts, D. D., will preach at 10:30, his subject being "Searching for Deity." There will be special music at the service.

OBITUARY

Deaths of a Day

REV. DR. THEODORE LEDYARD CUYLER, for thirty years pastor of the Lafayette Avenue Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, and well known as a writer on religious topics, at his home in New York after a short illness.

ADMIRAL SIR CHARLES GEORGE FANE, K. C. B., formerly commander of the British North American squadron, in London.

ARTHUR G. M'LELLAN, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Edward Embree of Elm street, Wakefield, aged seventy years, after a short illness.

MRS. ELIZABETH DAWES MINOT, widow of George Minot and descendant of one of the old Colonial families, at her home on Concord avenue, after a short illness. She was eighty-seven years old.

CALEB PRENTISS, a well-known citizen and one of the best-known Odd Fellows in this section of the State, in his home, No. 89 Shepard street, Lynn.

Deaths.

CURLEY—In this city, Feb. 25, James H. Curley. Funeral from the residence of his mother, Mrs. Winifred Curley, 9 Thorndike st., Roxbury, Saturday, Feb. 27, at 8:15. Requiem high mass at St. Philip's Church, Harrison av., at 9 o'clock. Interment at Calvary Cemetery.

CRANE—In Quincy, Feb. 24, Lucy A., widow of John Crane, in her 85th year. Funeral from the residence of her son, Emery L. Crane, 20 Whitney road, on Saturday, Feb. 27, at 3 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

DUFFY—In this city, Feb. 23, John G. Duffy, member of Warren Lodge 18, I. O. O. F. Funeral services at the Waterman Chapel, 2,328 Washington st., Roxbury, on Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

BRENNAN—In Somerville, Feb. 25, John, infant son of Joseph J. and Mary T. Brennan (nee Dearing), 9 mos. 5 ds. Funeral from 39 Oaks st., Saturday, Feb. 27, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

BUCKLEY—In Charlestown, Feb. 25, Alice Buckley (nee O'Keefe), beloved wife of William Buckley. Funeral from her late residence, 182 Rutherford av., Sunday, Feb. 28, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's Church, Warren st., Monday, March 1, at 7 a. m.

COLEMAN—Suddenly, in this city, Feb. 25, Frank Coleman, 68 yrs. Services at late residence, 15 Rebden st., Dorchester, Sunday, Feb. 28, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to be present. Burial at Mt. Pleasant, Arlington.

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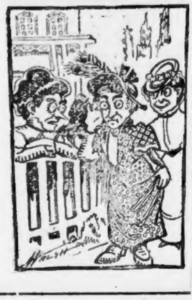

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CITY OF BOSTON,
Clerk of Committees Department.
City Hall, Boston, Mass.

The Committee on Appropriations will give a public hearing on the subject of appropriations for the fiscal year 1909-1910 for the following departments and divisions: Cemetery, Street, Ferry, Paving, Sanitary, Sewer, Street Cleaning and Watering and Street Improvements. The hearing will be held in the Aldermanic Chamber, Tuesday evening, March 2, at 7 o'clock.

Any citizen desiring to be heard on the appropriations for the above-mentioned departments will be given an opportunity at said meeting.

JOHN F. DEVER,
Clerk of Committees.

CITY OF BOSTON—To Contractors: The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, office 47, City Hall, invites proposals for cleaning, oiling and watering the public streets and sidewalks in that portion of West Roxbury, south of Franklin park, Glen road, Green street, Pond street, Jamaica Pond to the Brookline line between April 1, 1909, and December 1, 1909, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office, filled out, signed by the bidder and left at said office before 12 o'clock m. of Monday, March 8, 1909, with a certified check for $500, payable to and be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will, at said hour and place, be publicly opened and read. The undersigned reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders agreeing to pay the trade unions' rate of wages, and the right to reject any or all proposals. The proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Cleaning, Oiling and Watering Streets in the West Roxbury District." GUY C. EMERSON, Superintendent of Streets. Boston, February 24, 1909.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—State House, Boston, Feb. 24, 1909—The Committee on Public Health will give a hearing to parties interested in the following proposed legislation: S. 921, that State Board of Health may make regulations as to milk; H. 1248, on marking heated milk; H. 1041, for marking of receptacles of pasteurized or heated milk; H. 1043, on collecting samples of milk and presentation of evidence of same; H. 1471, for State Board of Health and Dairy Bureau to act jointly as to production; at Room No. 444, State House, on Thursday, March 4, 1909, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. W. PRENTISS PARKER, Chairman; HOMER A. HALL, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—State House, Boston, Feb. 25, 1909—The Committee on Mercantile Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in proposed legislation: H. B. 1021, on selling price of articles made by Charitable institutions and industrial unions, acting as consignees; H. B. 278, for incorporation of the Parkman Foundation; H. B. 1017, on sealing glass jars, etc., especially those for milk and cream; H. B. 830, on real estate and other brokers; H. B. 1170, that subordinate tribes of Red Men may hold real estate, etc., at Room No. 431, State House, on Wednesday, March 10, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. ELMER C. POTTER, Chairman; THOMAS P. RILEY, Clerk of the Committee.

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How Do YOU LIKE TO EAT This Sort of Beef?

The amazing revelation that cattle infected with tuberculosis are killed and parts of the carcass—said by the authorities to be perfectly wholesome—sold for food to the people of Boston has caused a shock to the community that cannot be exaggerated.

HOW DO YOU LIKE TO EAT TUBERCULOSIS-INFECTED BEEF?

Is it not astonishing that the law prevents the sale of **MILK** taken from diseased cows, but **PERMITS** the sale of **DISEASED COWS**?

If the **MILK** from a diseased cow is bad, will some one kindly tell us what makes **MEAT** from a diseased cow **FIT TO EAT**?

To be perfectly fair it should be said that the State authorities, and the United States authorities also, approve of what has been and is being done in the matter, and therefore packers are not to be blamed for putting such meat on the market. But the authorities are to **BLAME**, and the sale of that sort of beef should be stopped. At least it should be labelled so that the purchaser may know what he is buying.

The best that can be said in defence of the State authorities is that the Commonwealth has saved a beggarly pittance of $100,000 by "passing" infected cattle. And that is no defence at all.

Of what use are **PURE** food laws enacted by Congress if the public is compelled to pay high prices for and endanger life by eating beef from cattle infected, no matter how slightly?

Of what use is it to spend tens of millions of dollars yearly in spreading the gospel of health and cleanliness, in efforts to stop the great plague of tuberculosis, if the State and Federal authorities sanction the sale of such meat?

Why rear hospitals for the unfortunate sufferers from tuberculosis if our Government is doing its best to set up gravestones?

COOKING diseased beef may or may not kill the tuberculosis germs. Who knows? Who wants to take that chance? Who wants to EAT diseased beef?

DO YOU?

"The Use" in Fighting for the Right

The Railroads Needed to Be SHOWN the Use and They Found Out

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Coming at this late day, the final affirmation of the New York Central Railroad's $108,000 fine for sugar freight rebating done in 1902-03 is a fresh and re-emphasized answer to that old spineless query, "WHAT'S THE USE?"

Freight rebating had taken root in the fair fields of business as some noxious, choking poppy weed. It loaded the business atmosphere with a drowsy essence of widespread dishonesty. Business men opposed to it in principle nevertheless felt obliged to accept rebates to maintain parity with competitors.

From discrimination the thing became downright, vile robbery!

The American led the fight at a time when the grip of evil was so devilishly ramified as to cause business men generally to say, "WHAT'S THE USE?"

Not only did this newspaper agitate ceaselessly against this blight on fair and honorable business, but MR. HEARST AND HIS ATTORNEYS SECURED, SIFTED AND PRESENTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE LEGAL EVIDENCE OF REBATES PAID TO THE SUGAR TRUST BY THE NEW YORK CENTRAL RAILROAD IN 1902-03.

The case built on this evidence—freely given to the Government—did not reach a crisis until October 17, 1906. On that day the railway was found guilty in the United States Circuit Court and fined $108,000.

Mr. Moody, who was Attorney-General for the United States, gave Mr. Hearst full credit for the triumph. The Government had been "SHOWN!" The people had been "SHOWN!"

It had taken time, but we had shown that there was use in fighting—IN PERSISTENTLY FIGHTING FOR A PRINCIPLE!

Of course, the railroad appealed to the United States Supreme Court, but that day marked the swift decline of the railroad rebate monstrosity.

That the appeal would come to naught was a foregone conclusion, but it serves as a timely and renewed answer to that old and everlasting query of "WHAT'S THE USE?" We have answered by showing the use.

AND WE PROPOSE TO KEEP ON SHOWING THE USE, AS WE DID RECENTLY IN THE GREAT GAS CASE!

Let Them Vote on Their Wish to Vote

That Is the Sensible Way to Settle the Women's Suffrage Question

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Do women want to vote?

Perhaps so; perhaps not.

WHY NOT ASK THEM?

The State wants to know; the State should make the inquiry.

Obviously the way to find out whether a majority of the women of this State want the electoral franchise is for the State to hold a referendum on the subject.

Certainly if the women won't go to the polls to vote for voting, they will never go to vote for anything else.

If they won't take the trouble to elect themselves to the electoral office, they are not likely to be assiduous in electing other people to other offices.

Most sensible men are willing that women should vote if they want to. There is no undisputed principle or theory of democracy that stands in their way.

Why waste words in debating the question of fact whether or no women want to vote? The fact can easily be ascertained.

Let the Legislature provide for a women's referendum on the question of women's suffrage.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

PROGRESS VS. "FOGYISM."

To the Editor of the AMERICAN:

Permit me to express my pleasure in regard to your splendid editorial of Feb. 23, entitled, "The good that is done by Trusts."

To one accustomed to reading the fogyisms and platitudes that emanate each day from the editorial columns of some of our unprogressive newspapers, it was indeed refreshing.

May the AMERICAN continue its good work as an educator of the people and give us some more enlightment of the same sort. ALLAN MITCHELL.

BRING THE FLEET TO BOSTON

To the Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Why not bring the whole battleship fleet to Boston? I think it is wrong to disband the fleet without giving the American people on the Atlantic coast a chance to see it intact. The fleet traversed the Pacific coast and foreign ports, but the East has not seen it. J. S. MEHLEK.

NEVER AGAIN

By T. E. Powers

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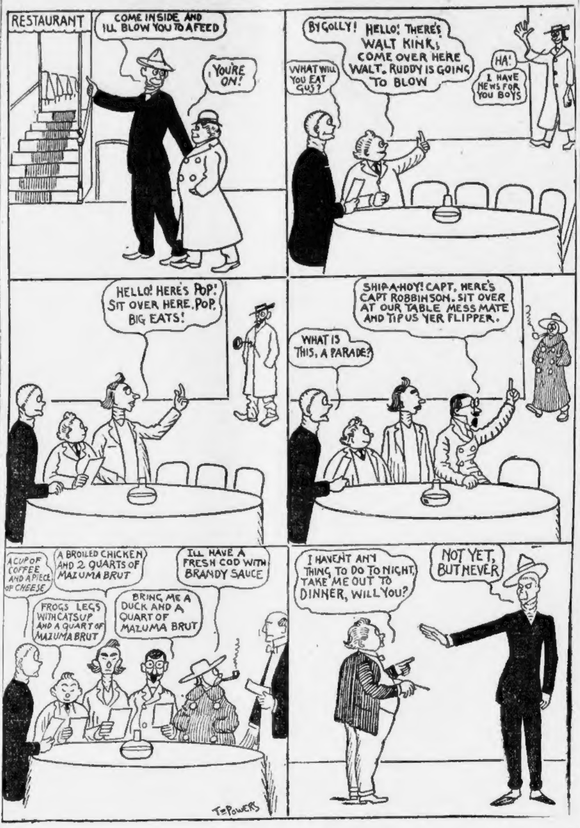
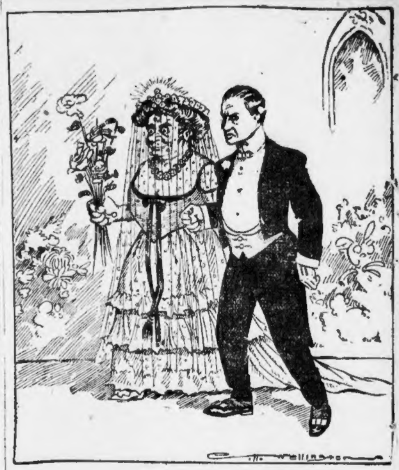

RESTAURANT
COME INSIDE AND I'LL BLOW YOU TO A FEED
YOU'RE ON!
BY GOLLY! HELLO! THERE'S WALT KINK; COME OVER HERE WALT. RUDDY IS GOING TO BLOW
WHAT WILL YOU EAT GUS?
HA! I HAVE NEWS FOR YOU BOYS
HELLO! HERE'S POP! SIT OVER HERE, POP, BIG EATS!
SHIP-A-HOY! CAPT, HERE'S CAPT ROBBINSON. SIT OVER AT OUR TABLE MESS MATE AND TIP US YER FLIPPER.
WHAT IS THIS, A PARADE?
A CUP OF COFFEE AND A PIECE OF CHEESE
A BROILED CHICKEN AND 2 QUARTS OF MAZUMA BRUT
I'LL HAVE A FRESH COD WITH BRANDY SAUCE
FROGS LEGS WITH CATSUP AND A QUART OF MAZUMA BRUT
BRING ME A DUCK AND A QUART OF MAZUMA BRUT
T. E. POWERS
I HAVEN'T ANY THING TO DO TO NIGHT, TAKE ME OUT TO DINNER, WILL YOU?
NOT YET, BUT NEVER

DON'T FORGET THE

Sunday American's Great Comic Section

TOMORROW. LAUGH AND GROW FAT.

THERE'S A REASON



The Doctors' Trust

By Elbert Hubbard

MEDICAL legislation aims to say who shall practice the healing art and who shall not.

Its ostensible aim is to protect the people from the imposition of ignorant, unfit and incompetent physicians.

But the truth of the situation comes to us as a grim bit of humor when we realize that always and forever the men who frame medical legislation and insist on their wishes becoming laws are doctors. So the doctor who decides who is fit declares, "I am fit, but you are not."

The people believe that they have the ability to decide to whom they may go for relief if they are ill. But right there the doctors take issue with them.

The doctors assume that the laity are ignorant and incapable of deciding as to matters of medicine, and thus all medical legislation is an implied insult to the people. And in truth, when the people are not sleepily indifferent, they so regard it.

And, as gently intimated, the funny part is that the doctors who insist that the lawmaker shall pass these laws declare that no one is fit to advise you as to your health unless he is a man who advises just as they do.

The doctors decide on fitness.

If the applicant is a different sort of a man and takes a different view of life, he is a criminal, and can be sent to prison if he takes charge of you, on your own request, if you are sick.

Thus we get class legislation and a Doctors' Trust supported by law. All in the face of the fact that there is no science of medicine, since the whole practice has shifted ground absolutely within twenty years, and is still shifting.

Men get sick and, employing no doctor, get well. Others get sick, send for a doctor and die.

It was not so very long ago that there was a theological trust. In fact, there is now, but it is not openly recognized by the courts—it is merely winked at.

The spiritual adviser who was not duly ordained and educated along certain lines was an outcast and a criminal—the enemy of the State, a traitor to God and a traitor to his country.

But now everybody can set up a divinity shop, absolve you from your sins, instruct you as to your latter end, prophesy your condition after death—foretell the thermostat—and show you how to walk here and now in the way of life.

This is beautiful and right.

The people are becoming able to judge by judging. Let them decide who the medical and theological rogues are. To let the medics and theologs pass on themselves is to invite tyranny. If they wish to be operated on, let it be a matter of conscience. But if I am well and my children are well, let no men with whiskers come and for 50 cents, in the name of the law, give us a disease in order to keep us from catching one.

IT HAPPENED IN BUGVILLE

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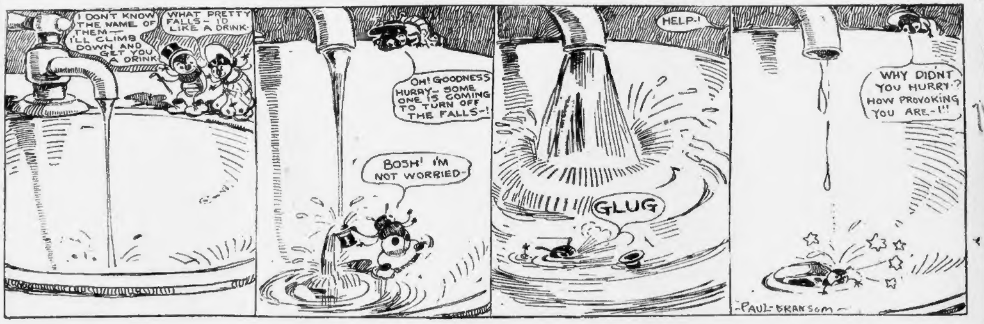
I DON'T KNOW THE NAME OF THEM— I'LL CLIMB DOWN AND GET YOU A DRINK
WHAT PRETTY FALLS—I'D LIKE A DRINK—
OH! GOODNESS HURRY—SOME ONE IS COMING TO TURN OFF THE FALLS—!
BOSH! I'M NOT WORRIED—
HELP—!
GLUG
WHY DIDN'T YOU HURRY—? HOW PROVOKING YOU ARE—!!
—PAUL—BRANSOM—

KNOCKO THE MONK "GETS HIS"

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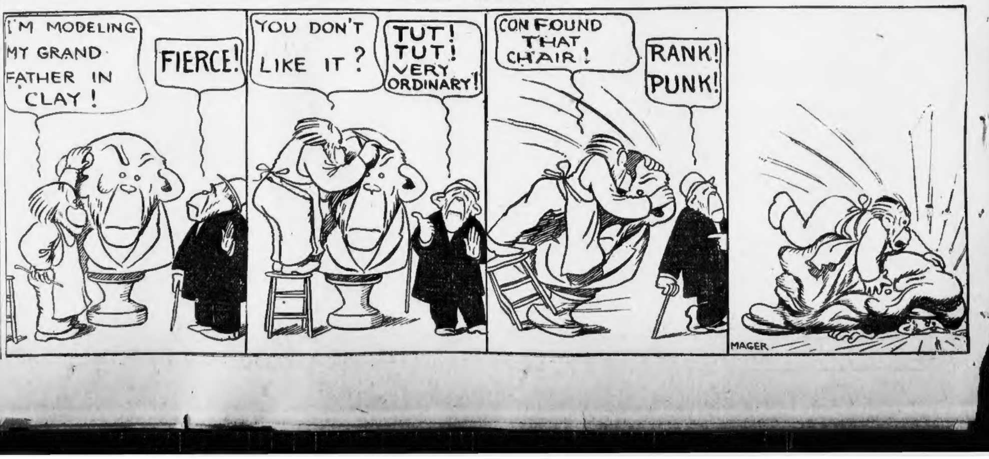
I'M MODELING MY GRAND FATHER IN CLAY!
FIERCE!
YOU DON'T LIKE IT?
TUT! TUT! VERY ORDINARY!
CONFOUND THAT CHAIR!
RANK! PUNK!
MAGER